

THE BOWDEN NEWS

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Bowden Alta., Thursday, Oct. 7, 1909

Terms \$1.00 per year



Bowden's Popular Creamery. This Creamery held the second place in last year's Creamery Produce.

Mostly Local News

M C Huff spent Friday and Saturday at Innisfail.

Reg and Chas Boyd are visiting with Mr Brewster.

Dr Kenny made a flying trip to Bowden this week.

Miss Cora Powell left for Calgary to attend court.

S Willis of Crossfield spent Sunday with his family.

Mr W Whitlock spent a day at his home here last week.

Mrs Marvel and Mrs Conner spent Monday last at Innisfail.

Mrs Billington and Mrs Butler were Innisfail visitors on Saturday.

We are sorry to hear that Isaac Decker is still on the sick list.

C McLaughlin of Calgary is spending a few days with Mr Hayward and family.

Miss Ida Boyd who had a narrow escape last week in a runaway is getting along nicely.

Miss Ida Dunlap was visiting at

her home west of town on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs Keith took in the Didsbury fair.

Bob Sharp and Frank Curry of Innisfail were in town Sunday.

Oscar Anderson returned last Saturday from his visit to Montreal.

Miss Turnbull spent Wednesday evening at the home of F H Rutledge.

John Fawcett of Ontario was visiting at the home of G Lancaster one day this week.

A wonderful thing happened on Monday night. Lewen Brown attended band practice.

M Whitlock of Hardisty, Alta. spent a few hours between trains with his parents, Saturday.

Don't forget that the News does not charge for advertising and at reasonable prices as any printery in the country.

Chris Sorenson has made another sale, having sold O M Randleman's place 5 1/2 miles southeast of town to Edward Van Buren of Bellingham, Wash. for the sum of \$3,000.

Dan McIlbargry and V D

Haag were in town last week on business. The former was proprietor of the Alexander Hotel at Didsbury, but has sold out lately.

Master Fred Butler has been ill for the past few weeks, but is able to be out again.

Wanted—A good general servant best of wages paid. Apply to Mrs Wm C Paterson, P. O. Box 366, Innisfail.

R C Smith of Innisfail will have an exhibit of his latest patent in the way of a Churn Dash and Egg Beater at the Fair. Everybody should see his exhibit.

All members including the directors of the band are requested to attend a meeting of the band in McCue's hall, Friday night, Oct. 8th, at 8 o'clock, SHARP.

Jack Arnold was seen deep in the study of watchmaking in Thorne's poolroom, Innisfail, last Friday. Jack considers Thorne's system far more advanced than McDermott's.

Well, well, we are glad that the Calgarians are giving up that played out old irrigation trip — altho we hardly think their new program exactly a step in the right direction. — especially for the young and innocent.

An interesting game of "freeze out" was played on Thursday night between Geo. Webb and S Truby. The game commenced about 10 o'clock and lasted until three in the morning, when Truby won hands down. Geo. said that he would have made a better showing if he had had another comforter.

The Governor General in speaking at the Canadian Club's luncheon tendered to him the other day, amongst other things remarked "that the people of Calgary had treated him splendidly. They had accompanied him in their autos and shown him their beautiful city and splendid residences, they had taken him across the river, ah!" (Voice—Good old sport) etc.

Anybody passing McCue's hall at 8.45 Mon. night would have seen the main supporters of the Band propped up against the side of the building—waiting for the janitor, (or whoever's business it was to light up the hall) to procure lights, there being three lamps but no shades. After much discussion and debating, the boys were obliged to call on Mr Turnbull for his lights. Please see that this doesn't occur again.

Married

Frederick Sidney Truby was quietly united in marriage to Mary Anderson Latimer on Wednesday evening, Sept. 29th, the Rev Chalmers officiating. A pleasant evening was spent at Mr and Mrs Tatum's after the ceremony, the happy couple leaving on Friday's train for Calgary. Saturday evening Mrs Truby left for St Louis, where she will visit her sister Miss A G Latimer and friends.

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Improved and unimproved lands, vacant lands or lots and city property of all kinds. If you want money see us.

We want your farm listed with us at once. We have several more buyers than we have farms and it will pay you to call on us if you want to sell.

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P. O. Box 564

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Phone 48

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Get your Hay Press of me. Price and Terms Easy

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HAMILTON AND PETROLIA WAGONS BLUE BELL CREAM SEPARATORS

W. C. RAMSEY Warehouse—MAIN ST., BOWDEN.

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A complete line of Felt Shoes. All sizes. Just the very thing you need for winter wear. Also complete line of mittens and gloves. You could not do better then to choose from ours, ranging from 25c up. We can give best value for your money

Horse Blankets, Etc. Prices always right

S. BUTLER,

General Merchant - BOWDEN

The Quality Store

Winter Goods

DUCK COATS SHEEP LINED

DUCK COATS CLOTH LINED

CORDUROY COATS SHEEP LINED

FUR COATS, BISHOP MAKE, HEAVY

CLOTH OVERCOATS

From \$3.50 up

A SHIPMENT OF

Men's Up-to-date Suits

JUST ARRIVED. CALL AND INSPECT AND GET OUR PRICES. NO TROUBLE TO SHOW GOODS.

Timothy & Prairie Hay Wanted HIGHEST PRICE

White Swan Creamery Store

ROBT. McCUE, Proprietor.

Heaters Heaters Heaters

Now is the time to prepare for the chilly evenings and we have a complete stock of

HEATING STOVES

Both Coal and Wood, ranging from \$3.50 up to \$22.50

M^cClary's Hardware Store

Bowden,

Alta.

We still have a quantity of that cheap Barbed Wire.

THE BOWDEN NEWS

FRED L. HARRIS, Editor

Bowden - - - - - Alberta

Published every Thursday at Bowden, Alta., for the financial benefit of the editor and moral and intellectual uplifting of the community.
Our Aim—To print the truth—if it's fit to print.
Our Motto—Take everything in sight and hustle for more—and get it.
Our Object—To live in pomp and Oriental splendor.
Our Religion—Orthodox, with a firm belief in the certainty of future punishment for delinquent and non-subscribers.
Our Paper—Of the people, for the people, to be paid for by the people.
The Bowden News is anti-dyspepsia, anti-polygamy, and anti-meanness generally, and even our enemies have to take it to get the news.

Subscription rates - - - \$1.00 per Year

ADVERTISING RATES
Display ads. - - - \$1.00 per inch per month
Reading notices 10 cents per line per week

Notices of births, marriages and obituaries published free—and we are glad to get them. This paper wants news from all parts of the Bowden district. If an item of interest is left out it's your own fault—get the news to us—we will print it.

We are pleased to note that the correspondent in the Province is not a "she" or "it" but a "he". This makes the world look brighter as in case "he" had been "she" there would never have been a chance for "the last word". A little of "Perrin's Anti-septic Salve" rubbed on "his" "sore-spot" would be advisable at this time. The idea of a brainy individual like the writer to the Province, exposing our ignorance to the public in the following manner: "May we humbly request our friend to abuse "she" "he" or "it" in sound English in the future, as it will be better understood then the jargon in which he usually expresses himself." What is the use of us trying to defend our ignorance before such chunks of wisdom as "he" droppeth forth—seemingly without effort. No doubt if we had the opportunity of writing for the Province, we could show a better bringing up.

Yes, if you will square up the Boyd's barn affair and give same a proper write-up and run a photo of it in the Province, we will forever hold our peace.

To think that "he" would jump on a poor old man of our town like "he" did two weeks ago is just awful to think of! Whoever the writer in the Province intended to injure that old gentleman can have space in the News to tell the public what he thinks of you, "Mr. All-Wise".

There has been a scramble among quite a few this week wanting to get on as judges in our pretty school mam contest. The ad appears in another column. The clause which is creating so much interest among our hand-some young batches, and, (we are sorry to say not a few of our married men), is as follows: "4th prize Best looking schoolmam in the Bowden district, (50 miles either direction.) Two years' subscription to the News. We want three competent judges. Apply at the News office fair day." But the boys just couldn't wait. We have decided to ask the boys who want to act as judges to put up an entry fee of \$5 and the first three getting their fees to the editor will be selected as judges.

The Bowden News will visit over 1,500 homes this week and we trust that it will please every reader; counting five to the family gives us 7,500 readers. If there are any who are not satisfied and could suggest any improvements kindly write us about it—we are open to suggestions. "Everybody reads the Bowden News" wants to be the by-word and will be if the editor can make the paper interesting enough.

The editor of the Alix Free Press claims to be the only editor in Alberta that has a wooden leg—a result of having his leg pulled so much. He adds that there are a lot of editors in this province who have wooden heads. He must

mean some of the editors on the C & E line other than the Bowden News man for it don't fit us. We can hear the guy who sneaks our paper to read and who hasn't paid his ad. for months say that "Bet he does mean the News man."

You can all say what you like but the editor likes to read the Eye Opener as well as anyone. We bot a copy last week, and every man in town has called to see it, accepting two—but everyone in town can guess who they are:

And while we are about it, the Alix Free Press copied some dope from the News last week and credited it to the "Exchange" list. And we spent hours of time on it, too. It was about the Alberta Homestead carrying ads for the Saturday News job department offering to print out-of-town jobs at any old price, and at the same time the Homestead wants the dear editors to try to get a few subscribers for them. Boys, look at your copy of the Homestead and see what the ads are like.

While we are on this talk of out-of-town firms trying so hard to get our work, let us re-print a post card that all our business men are receiving and it shows about how accurate the Henderson's directories are, too. The card is addressed to the "Moose Jaw House, Bowden Alta." Now, there never was such a house here, its the "Brewster House". But they are nice in commencing their address to the prospective customer for they say "Gentlemen" instead of "Mr. Sucker." Here is the letter or postal:

Gentlemen:—If you want to join the Mill Syndicate to get 5,000 Selkirk Bond letterheads for \$8.50 (regular price \$16.00) and 5,000 good white envelopes printed with corner card for \$8.50 (regular price \$16.00) you must let us have your order by Return Mail, as this syndicate will be completed within a week and there will be no opportunity to get in your order after that date.

R. B. Henderson & Co.

We are sure they received hundreds of orders, but if the same men who ordered their work from the Winnipeg men would go to their printer and say that they wanted 5,000 on the same quality of paper they furnish, they would have been pleased to fill the order at the price and saved them the freight from Winnipeg.

Now while we are cussing things in general, what about the roads leading to Bowden being fixed. The appropriation has been granted for several roads, we know, and if the road overseers don't have time themselves to fix it let some one else who has. That strip out east of town wants attending to this fall, and at once, before the ground freezes up. Something will drop if work is not begun this week. That one strip of road keeps twenty-five families or more from a good town like Bowden, and some roads west of town need attention, too. And that bridge across the river (political promises) has not been touched. We will need something to fill up the News with this winter and just as soon tell "how it happened anyhow" as not and it would look well in print. All we have to say in closing is, that if you cannot make good, resign, and let a live one get busy, and you will wish you had if you don't. A word to the wise, or otherwise, is plenty at present.

Thank heavens that Edmonton corner stone is laid at last. The next thing Edmonton will be claiming is that she is located at the center of the earth. But its anything to keep poor Calgary guessing—and from appearances she has them going.

With all the new railroads and the corner stone laid Edmonton will have an easy time of it.

Any way, if Strathcona cannot have such brainy editors as the Saturday News and Alberta Homestead of Edmonton has, they are going to have the Alberta University, and in time, may grind onto such intellectual products—but its extremely doubtful. In the editors' minds at least.

Still a mystery who was at the Pole first but all our sympathies are with Cook. Cook now starts on a lecture tour and we have invited him to come to Bowden to tell us first handed who is the liar—Peary or himself.

Mt. Baker is getting busy again, according to despatches from Vancouver. Little wonder something has not happened before with all the visitors going and coming at Seattle. Mt. Hood and Mt. Tacoma will no doubt get busy next.

Let's we forget we want to mention the new gasoline engine that arrived at the News office this week. Its the International Harvester efforts and we hope it works like a charm, for the air is usually blue on "press day" and especially so when an engine goes wrong. By the way, we are adding a lot more new machinery to our office and we would be delighted if we could say that all our subscribers were paid in advance. Do you catch our meaning.

The Comments of an Old Farmer

Sir:—Without flattery and on behalf of the farmers and ranchers of the outlying district, I may say that we already feel the influence of your valuable, newsy and most up-to-date paper.

Previous to this time the influence of Bowden might be described as confining itself in the form of a diamond, the outlying points being in the north, south, east and west between Innisfail and Bowden, south about half way between Olds and Bowden, east a little beyond Spruce Coulee and west a little beyond the Red Deer River. However since your arrival matters seem to be taking a wonderful change, you have been seen far beyond these limits, spreading the News and inspiring the residents to partake of the Bowden paper, previous to this the trade east and west beyond the above mentioned points, have been either to Innisfail or Olds, just now all eyes are turned to Bowden and if the merchants are wise and alive they will use your valuable and widespread paper as a spear-head for a magnificent trade to Bowden. Why do they not quote their prices more fully? You know the farmer and rancher away back on the frontier, usually digests everything found in the local paper even down to the smallest ad. In many ways his life is different from that of his brother, who is within easy access to the town and market. Often in shopping one man is obliged to do the business for several families, and each in their turn may do this. Now if the merchants would go a little more into detail with their prices, it would make it much easier for the good housewife and bachelor to know what to send for and bring more dollars into the town.

It is admitted that the merchants of Bowden give better prices for products than do either Innisfail or Olds, but they don't give a very clear idea of the price of their goods you wish to get in return for the products.

I have known a good many instances where people have sent to catalogue houses for goods and have afterwards learned that they could have done quite as well in Bowden, but they were ignorant of the price. When a rancher comes to town he usually has not time to go thru all the stores and price even the necessaries of life not to say anything about the bargains that are to be obtained. Wishing you every success with your paper and thanking you for the space in your valuable paper I will close.

An Old Farmer.

Bowden Mercantile Company

The place you get the best value in winter wear. We carry a full line of Fur Coats, Sheep lined Coats and Vests, Cardigan Jackets, Mackinaw Coats and Sweaters of all kinds.

We have the latest designs for comfort in Felts, Boots, Moccasins and Rubbers.

We carry the following well-known overalls.

LEVI STRAUSS. HAMILTON CARHARTT
BUCK BRAND.

Also a large shipment of PEABODY OVERALLS on the way and will be here in about ten days.

HARNESS DEPT

If you want anything in this line call and see us before buying elsewhere. We carry a full line of trunks, suit cases, grips harness, collars, sweat pads, whips, etc. If we haven't got what you want we will only be too pleased to procure it for you.

BOWDEN MERCANTILE CO.

Bowden - Alberta.

The Royal Hotel

C. R. Buckham, Proprietor

MODERN APPOINTMENTS

EXCELLENT CUISINE

EVERY CONVENIENCE

UP-TO-DATE BAR

Innisfail - Alberta



On Fair Day Oct. 13th call in and inspect our stock of fine shoes. We will be pleased to show you our stock and give you prices whether you buy or not.
Shoes for everybody and plenty of variety to choose from.

H. W. LUCKHARDT

Real Estate in Connection.

BOWDEN - ALTA.

SOLD OUT

Not quite, but so nearly, that any goods I have left I will sell about

COST

Bring along your TRADING STOCK

HORSES AND CATTLE FOR
SALE.

S. TRUBY

BOWDEN.

INNISFAIL INDEPENDENT

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Supplement to the Bowden News, October 7, 1909

F. L. Harris, Editor

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Telephone 41

Innisfail, Alberta, Canada

Innisfail Items

Mrs Crawford sr, left for Ontario on Tuesday evening.

Miss Carrie Marshall left for Calgary last Monday evening.

Miss Grace Dodd of Edmonton is visiting at the home of her cousins Ed. Dodd for a few days.

Mr and Mrs Jas Bartle left Monday for their new home in Vancouver.

John Lundy of Siccamus Jct. B C arrived in town on Monday on a visit to his old home.

Fred Wilson left for Vancouver on Friday last, R Oliffe accompanied him as far as Calgary.

Mr and Mrs H McFadyen spent last Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Lakeview.

Don't forget the dance on Oct. 8th, in the Opera House. Tickets can be secured at the Barber shop. Come, a good time is assured you.

Mayor McRae, J A Simpson M L A and other citizens attended the laying of the Corner Stone at Edmonton on Friday last.

Mrs W A Gilmore and little son Wesley returned from an extended visit to points in Ontario, on Sunday last.

There is to be a dance at the Opera house on Friday night, and you are cordially invited to attend. Tickets \$1.50 for gents ladies free.

Mr. Hugh Ross of Little Red Deer met with a painful accident when one of his horses kicked him in the side causing three ribs to be broken.

See the Sunny Alberta Land Co's new ad in this issue and also note that they now have money to loan at 7 per cent from 500 to \$5,000.

C O Christianson of Dickson was in Innisfail Tuesday, and brot in a lot of cattle to the Clapp & Evans people. He reports things doing around his store and lots of business.

Following is a report of the sales by the Sunny Alberta Land Co., of Innisfail: Sections 21 and 13 and the east half of section 12, all in township 36, range 1 west of 5th at good prices.

A committee of the Fire Brigade met the Council on Monday evening and resolved to make every effort to have a night service on the telephone system, in this way securing a rapid method in sending in an alarm of fire and of calling out the firemen. It is necessary that our citizens contract 17 more phones before this can be accomplished.

P T Goulter of the Innisfail Hardware Co. has sold out to Rogers & Briggs of Manitoba, who will take possession at once. The new firm will retain the old hands employed by Mr Goulter. This

will be good news to their many friends. The new members of the firm have had years of experience in the hardware business in Manitoba and will no doubt give the people of this town and section the best to be had for the money.

R C Smith the tinsmith will in a short time exhibit on the Main street of Innisfail the Empire Arc Light for which he is sole agent, which is supposed to surpass any light in existence for the lighting of streets. It is a system by which coal oil is vaporized and burned in a mantle and costing but 2 1/2 cents per hour for 1000 candle power. Mr Smith is agent for the Moore Gasolene light which he will put to a test also.

The proprietors of the Innisfail Opera House have made arrangements whereby a series of high class entertainment will be held in the Opera House on behalf of the Innisfail Public Library in the order following. Oct. 14th, the Cassels-Persival Entertainer; Nov. 9th, English Grand Opera Co.; Dec. 3rd, Jessie Marie Biggars; Feb. 5th, Robert Meikld Co.; Mar. 1st, Thomas C Wetten, R. A. M. C. These attractions are sent out by C P Walker, Winnipeg, which is a guarantee of high class variety. Coupon tickets are being sold at \$3 each, covering the entire series, tickets for each entertainment are 75 cents for reserved seats and 50 cents for general admission. There is one exception—The English Grand Opera Co. admission to which is 75 cents, reserved seats \$1. Every body should support the Library and buy a full course ticket, as it is well worth it.

Markerville News

Mr D Morkerberg spent last week in Edmonton.

Miss R Christianson is spending a few days at her home.

Inspector Boyce was in the vicinity last week, inspecting schools.

Temperance meeting Saturday evening.

Mr Stenburg of Innisfail assisted in the creamery during Mr Markerburs leave of absence.

Misses N and Z Goodman of Red Deer are the guests of Mr and Mrs Christianson this week.

Mr P Markerburs who was visiting his brother in Markerville for awhile left to continue his travelling.

A few from here are talking about taking in the dance at Innisfail on Friday.

A number of teachers from here are attending the teachers convention at Innisfail.

Miss Rose Kelley has left our midst, and taken with her a new name. We all take pleasure in congratulating the happy couple and hope they may have a happy and prosperous future.

The box social last Friday was a great success. At nine o'clock a large crowd had gathered together for a good time, not only those from Markerville and surrounding district, but friends from Red Deer and Innisfail. The Auctioneer in the personage of Mr Thornston made a fluent speech and then brought to view a heart shaped box which took the eye of a number of fellows. Another box which a number desired, was a violin without a bow. A number of the boxes sold for a very good price, and after the boxes were disposed of, the dancing started which kept up until the wee sma' hours of the morning, at 12 o'clock the ladies served a very sumptuous lunch.

Gents' Furnishings

Just arrived the Finest Stock in Innisfail
MEN AND BOYS FLEECE-LINED AND WOOL
UNDERWEAR
ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF TOP SHIRTS
German and Wool and Socks, All Kinds of Mitts and
Gloves, Neckties and Collars

HEAVY SHEEP LINED COATS—BIRD'S MAC-
KINAW COATS—ALL DESCRIPTIONS
OF RUBBER BOOTS, ETC. ETC.

Call and see our goods before purchasing elsewhere

G. W. West Arcade Store

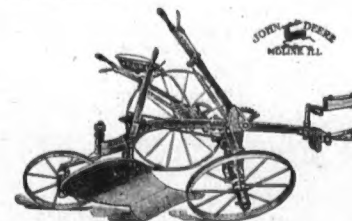
THE FARMERS FRIEND

1891 INNISFAIL 1909

McCallum & Watt Bros.

DEALERS IN

John
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Plows



Disc Harrows, Racine Pulverizers, Deering
Mowers, Rakes, Binders, Deering Twine,
Brockville buggies, Hamilton wagons, De-
Laval separator, Fosston fanning mills, and
Corn King manure spreaders.

Innisfail, Alta.

We can suit you now

With suits that are up to date and tailor-made. Our stock of Fall and Winter Cloths are now in and are the finest line ever shown in Innisfail. Call and see for yourself.

W. A. GILMORE
Tailor

INNISFAIL
Alberta

W. S. Gray, the barber at Bowden, is agent for that place—leave your orders for pressing and cleaning with him in that district.

ANDERSON BROS.

Livery, Feed and Sales Stables.

Good Horses

Good Drivers

Best of care to Ranchers' Animals.

PIONEER LIVERY STABLES

TWIN LIVERY BARN

INNISFAIL ALBERTA

The Huxley Store

GROCERIES,

FLOUR AND FEED,
GENT'S FURNISHINGS

BOOTS AND SHOES,
CROCKERY.

STOP-IN HOUSE AND FEED STABLE IN
CONNECTION

Cold Weather is Not Far Off

and you should be prepared for it by having your stoves in shape. I have just received a large stock of

Cook Stoves Heaters & Ranges

that are the best to be had at a bargain. Call and see them. Tinsmithing and repairing of all kinds.

R. C. SMITH,
Innisfail, Alta.

\$1.00

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ME ON THE GROUNDS
AND I'LL SHOW
YOU THE
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INNISFAIL INDEPENDENT
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TROCHU TIMES
THREE HILLS HERALD
All of Local Interest and
TWO FARM PAPERS
FARM & RANCH REVIEW
Twice-a-Month (Calgary)
GRAIN GROWERS GUIDE
Weekly (Winnipeg)
All Seven Papers for One Year

\$1.00

The

Curry and Constantine Company

Limited

Hardware, & General Merchants

These cool evenings remind you of the necessity of buying that Heater. We have a full line of

Coal and Wood Heaters

at prices from \$4.00 upwards

Just received a consignment of the famous

Hudson Bay Knitting Co.

goods, including Men's Coats, Gloves and Socks

See our fresh stock of Prints, Blankets, and Sheet

Our groceries are of A 1 quality

Phone 30

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Huxley

Geo. Pickering is adding a large apartment to his commodious dwelling.

D Miller left Tuesday for Olds where he will assist H C Martz in threshing this season.

Messrs Letts, Painter, Buzzeland and Miller took a trip to the Raven this week for lumber.

The grain is mostly stacked some threshing is done, the yield in this district is abundant.

A pie social and dance will be given at the Letts' School, Oct 22. All "pie faces" especially invited, and all others as well.

W H Kennedy, Sake and Dolph Miller joined forces in stacking their grain, they completed the work Saturday the 25th. Their stacks numbering 31 in all.

Maurice Ferreter of Bowden was fortunate in securing a homestead in this district. He has come to Huxley to live, where he will make his home with his sister Mrs. Jake Miller.

Mr and Mrs Conrad Weir are planning a trip to Iowa in the near future where they will spend the winter with Mr Weir's parents. However we vouch spring will find them ready to return to Sunny Alberta.

The annual harvest festival will be held in the Huxley school on the evening of Oct. 15th. A fine supper a good program and a general good time will be the order of the evening. Do not fail to come and bring your appetites.

Huxley district has several beneficial organizations which contribute to the social, intellectual and financial advancement of the community. The United Farmers' of Alberta have a strong organization in this district. We also have a Lyceum and Debating Club of three years growth and for local talent we can compete with the best of them.

Our organized Quadrille Club gave a fine series of dances during the past winter and all who had the pleasure of one of those delightful evenings, are anxiously waiting for the Club to re-organize. If you feel any doubt about our dances being anything but the best, come and be convinced. So much for an introduction.

The busy tap of the hammer which can be heard resounding thro our district from early morn until late at eve proclaims the farmers are making provision for storing their bounteous crops which are waiting for the bin. Roach Bros are building a large grainery 12 x 32. L E Love is also putting up a large construction of the same kind of dimensions 18 x 24.

The Huxley school closed Sept. 30th. A very fine program was given by the pupils, which reflected much credit upon their efficient teacher E L Smith. This is the end of his third term in our district which fact speaks for itself of his capability and the esteem the patrons hold for him. At the close of the exercises Fred Duffel made a presentation speech as the pupils presented their teacher with a very handsome manicure set.

A very pleasant evening was spent Sept 24th by a number of the Huxley people at the home of A McRae of Perbeck. Dancing was the chief enjoyment and was indulged in until dawn, a very fine supper was served at midnight which got full justice. Every guest departed delighted with their evening's pleasure and grateful to their kind host and hostess who spared no pains in showing them a splendid time.

Huxley tho a comparatively young district has made rapid progress and today can boast of many attainments of which older sections of the province might well be proud. Huxley proper consists of a good general store where you will always find the right prices and receive right treatment, there is also a comfortable lodging house

in connection for accomodation of strangers, where good meals and comfortable beds are supplied Geo Pickering who is proprietor, spares no pains in promoting the comfort of his guests.

May City

Dr Little of Olds visited here Sunday.

Messrs Rear and Smouse were in Olds on Friday.

S Cummins is at Innisfail on business.

Miss Knight is the guest of Mrs Frye.

A Boettger paid a business trip to Olds Friday last.

Mrs Wade of Innisfail was the guest of Mrs S Cummins, Tuesday last.

G W Ocheltree returned from Innisfail last Tuesday the possessor of a gang plow.

Mr. Detweiler took charge of the Sunday services here, Mr Goudie our regular minister being at Williston proving up on his homestead there.

Now, don't you forget the Big
BOWDEN FALL
FAIR, Oct. 13th,
you will miss it if
you miss it.

**THE FARMERS ONE PRICE
= STORE =**

OUR MOTTO :-

Quality the first consideration. Lowest and uniform prices. Right terms and honest treatment.

We want your trade. Our Prices and terms will suit you.
Our aim is QUALITY, an honest dollars worth for your honest dollar.

For the next Sixty Days we will give away as Premiums ; Dishes of all descriptions with all Cash Orders. Premiums may be seen at the Store.

BELOW WE PRINT A FEW OF OUR PRICES.

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Canned Peas and Corn regular 15c. 2 or 25c.	Mixed Pickles regular 35c. for 30c.
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THREE HILLS HERALD

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One Dollar a Year

Three Hills Notes

Three Hills will now have a paper and we should do our share to make it newsworthy and up-to-date. The news for this page failed to arrive this week but we hope it will not happen again.

Full particulars about the fair in the next issue. Watch for it.

Read the ads in this issue and then patronize the merchants who help to build up the paper.

Curlew

The Big Store did over \$200. worth of business last Monday.

Harry Dudley was an Olds visitor this week, and brought back a load of supplies for his Hotel.

Leslie Reed returned last week from Vancouver. He has a position on a paper there and will return soon.

Geo. Brinson sold several pieces of land the past week. He has several more good prospects and will no doubt land them. The land in this section is going fast and should, at the price asked.

Birnel's feed mill is doing a land office business this year. He can turn out first class graham flour, and the farmers are taking advantage of the opportunity to get their winter grinding done before the grand rush for feed grinding begins.

Lake View

Mr Bell of Calgary is conducting the revival services here now.

Quite a number from this district took cattle to Innisfail on Monday.

W Gunston and J Guard are rounding up cattle for Alguire and Leech this week.

Miss Main who has been visiting at her home south of town for the past few weeks returned to Edmonton on Tuesday.

Messrs Alguire and Leech from Ontario are out again on their annual Fall round-up. They have a fine bunch of steers collected here.

Dickson Doings

Miss Tine Lunnaberg returned from Calgary this week looking much improved.

Mrs Norman left for Trochu this week where she will assist in the hospital until next July.

The store and postoffice is getting to be the place in this section and Christianson is using the customers right, too.

Hello everybody! As Dickson is getting to be quite a place we think it time that news was appearing from this section.

The Bowden News is seen on all hands in this district—it is certainly full of news, too, and that is what we take a paper for.

Chris Larson is putting up a fine new dwelling; Mrs Christiansen a nice large house; Martinus Nelson a fine large barn and several more will build yet this fall.

J S Tromburg and family left for Bruce, Wis., this week and Mr. Briggs of the city will now take charge of their place they sold him at once.

It is reported that J R H Myrher of Elkhorn, Iowa, will settle this coming spring on the section he purchased here a short time ago. We welcome him to our district.

Carl Christiansen our popular postmaster sold a bunch of cattle this week to Innisfail buyers. In fact a lot of people around here are selling most of their stock. Mr Gagner is selling his big bunch to Mr Harbison this week.

Bowden boasts of some of the best butter makers in the world. Now is the time to prove it at the fair.

Bowden News

Dr Grey made a trip to Calgary this week.

Mens and ladies Patent Leathers in newest lasts at Luckhardt's.

Henry Munro of Red Deer was down for a Sunday visit with his parents.

Wm Pearson of Stettler was visiting at the home of John Howard this week.

See our lines of Fall and Winter Footwear before buying, and get our prices.—Luckhardt.

Get the Habit: Get your shoes at Luckhardt's. On Fair Day don't forget that we sell shoes. Luckhardt.

Great events coming.—One of these coming events is the Methodist harvest home supper and concert, October 26th.

Methodist services will be held at the following places on Sunday next, Oct. 10th. Lone Pine 12 o'clock noon. Bowden, 3 p. m. Subject—"A faithful Creator"—1 Pet. 4-19.

Mrs R C Curry who lives east of town, presented this office with four potatoes, which weighed eight pounds they were fine specimens, she also gave us a turnip that beat anything we have seen yet.

The Natural History Society of Red Deer are giving school children special prizes for work in natural history, that will induce them to take more interest in their studies. Particulars later.

Thro an error last week it was stated that H Luckhardt had taken over the restaurant from C Sorensen. It was not the restaurant, but Mr Sorensen's stock of goods that he purchased.

For Thanksgiving Day, October 15th, the Canadian Pacific Railway Company announce a rate of fare and one third for the round trip. Tickets will be on sale October 22nd to October 25th, inclusive, final return limit October 17th.

Mr and Mrs W H Stark and son Harold have decided to remain in Canada indefinitely, some of their "very dear friends" loath to see them depart—being offered every inducement for them to stay—so they will give up their trip to accommodate them.

We will not be able to give our trip a write up out east until later, but it will come along in about two weeks. The fairs at Milnerton, Innisfail, Olds, Three Hills and Bowden will all be written up and the prize list complete published as soon as we can get the matter from the secretaries.

We see by the Province that Innisfail had hopes of getting a court house some time. We are sorry to have to give the snap away but plans are changed, and now Bowden is to have the court house so that Olds and Innisfail can come to Bowden to do their courting. We cannot give the date but hope to do so in the near future. Yes, and Bowden is to get that bridge across the Big Red Deer, but dear knows when. About next election time, we think.

On Saturday, October 2nd a large number of little girls and boys gathered at the home of Mrs. Willis to celebrate the birthday of Miss Bertha Turnbull and Miss Isabel Willis. The afternoon was spent in all kinds of out door games, after which a dainty lunch was partaken of, the girls received many pretty and useful presents. All departed for their homes wishing the girls many happy returns of the day.

One of the hotelmen from a neighbouring town was down to the Brewster House for Beer, early Tuesday morning. Evidently Bow-

den is not the biggest toper on the line. Jim was so overjoyed at the sale of a whole keg, that he tapped his claret to celebrate the event. Webb, however, was the only one who cared to take a drink.

Betchton

H Doncaster was in Olds on Monday.

Mr and Mrs J W Dunlap and Mr and Mrs Wm Graig spent Sunday with Alex Dargie.

Misses Bertha and Gladys Turnbull spent Sunday at Sunnyside Farm south of Bowden.

Master Percy James Turnbull intends racing his pony "Black Beauty" on Fair day, Oct 13.

The boys of this district are busy hunting Gopher tails. Each thinking he shall win the rifle on Fair day. Nothing like trying boys.

Remember the dance in McCue's hall on Fair Day.

Be sure and attend the dance in McCue's hall on the evening of the fair.

Fire in your entries today.

Get your Fair entries in at once.

We have the material, get it in to the fair.

Bowden Markets

Butter, choice	18 1/2 21c
Eggs	28c
Potatoes	50c
Hay, upland	\$7 00
Hay, Timothy	\$13 00
Hogs, live	\$7 50
Hogs, dressed	\$9 50
Beef, dressed	\$5 25
Oats	22c
Wheat No. 1	80c

Corrected Every Thursday

Don't forget the dance in McCue's hall on the night of the fair.

BIRTHS

ADAM—On Tuesday, Sept 21st, to Mr and Mrs J G Adam, a son.

DODD—On Thursday, Sept 16th, to Mr and Mrs J A Dodd a daughter.

SULLIVAN—On Thursday, Sept 21, to Mr and Mrs Alex Sullivan, a daughter.

STADELBAUR—On Saturday, Sept. 25th, to Mr and Mrs John Stadelbaur, of Mayton, a daughter.

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PRIVATE JONES' CHEATING.

He'd Even Cheat the Goats That Would Feed Over His Grave.

By LEO CRANE.

"E was a coal passer, was Jones, an' 'e slung a shovel on the bloody tramp Koolah until his mouth got him inter serious trouble affairs by recklessly slippin' lurid names toward the chief engineer. O' course we men knew 'e didn't mean anythink, outet the way by the langwidge, but the chief engineer was a wicious man, an' 'e allowed his turrible anger to become uncontrolled.

"So we men laid Jones away in the free ward o' a leetle horspital that half hid itself shylike behind a row o' scraggy palms. Then we men went off on a hoot, eight o' us. Seven got back to the ship in time to sail with her. The eighth man 'e was left on the wharf deserted amid a multitude o' coolies. Hi was that man.

"An' belug as Hi wouldn't shift cargo fer a livin' wage, Hi presented meself, body an' soul, to a recruitin' officer who was out after one devil called Juan Torres. This same Juan Torres was up country some'rees bidin', an' 'e didn't have no idear o' bein' ketched; hence it needed men, an' Hi was a man.

"Now, on the mornin' afore we marched away who in all the worl' o' rascals should beave in sight but Jones. 'E had a rag about his head, an' 'e wanted to 'list. Now, Hi had never expected to see Jones again in this worl' an', belin' plous inclined, didn't want to meet him in the next. Hi always watched my terbacker when 'e was about. Sam Rawlins had tol' me o' that, an' Sam Rawlins had lost terbacker.

"Well, they needed men, an' Jones was one, so 'e went along. 'E tol' me that the doctors at the leetle horspital had been very confident that 'e would die, but in spite o' it 'e fooled 'em.

"Anyway, up country we goes after Juan Torres, an' the first beastly town we gets inter down goes Jones with the fever. The doctor o' the regiment said 'e would die certain, but Jones didn't. 'E scraped through, seip me if 'e didn't. Two weeks after 'e began to creep about the camp mule sick, him a reg'lar smasher in the side, an' away to the leetle horspital they carries him to mend up.

"Hi didn't see Jones no more for near a half year; neither did Hi see Juan Torres. One day when we thought we had 'im spotted at last inter camp Jones walks, smilin' grimly. 'E goes to the colonel an' says, 'Hi'll show ye just where they are,' says 'e. An' in ten minutes out we marches, Jones leadin' the way.

"'How have ye been?' asks the colonel, leggin' it 'longside o' Jones.

"'Werry well,' says Jones back to him, pleasant-like. 'Hi ain't been outer the horspital more 'n ten days.'

"'Guns!' cries the colonel. 'Did it take 'em all that time to patch up three broken ribs?'

"'No,' explains Jones. 'They fixed up them ribs in six weeks, but after Hi got discharged from that spell Hi went inter town on a leetle smooch aroun', ye know, an' some William knifes me. In fact, 'e knifed me two or three times afore 'e was satisfied with his contract, an' so they bustles me back to the leetle horspital without any great loss o' time. That were a four month job, but they did it, an' nary a grumble. Oh, this gettin' well is my long suit,' says Jones, proud-like. 'What troubles me most,' says Jones solemnly, 'is that maybe when the blow comes again Hi'll be too far up country an' won't reach the horspital in time, but Hi hopes not.'

"'Why, you must like bein' sick,' says the colonel, sprised.

"'It ain't the bein' sick,' says Jones; 'that's nasty. But the soup—my, the soup! Delicious!' says Jones, smackin' his lips 's if 'e could taste it. 'Hi've been in forty-two horspitals in my time an' have been discharged cured nigh on to sixty-seven times, so Hi know.'

"'Sixty-seven times,' echoed the colonel.

"'Return wishts,' explained Jones quickly. 'But Hi don't despair o' betterin' that record, 'cause Hi knows my vitality an' what Hi can stand.'

"On we men went silently. The reports 'll tell ye how we cornered them rats in the center o' a thick forest, but the reports won't tell ye how one Jones carried fire an' sword into the habitation o' Juan Torres.

"It stood in a clearin'. Jones beat us to the inclosure by a good twenty feet, an' Jones was first to show his leg over the top. Some native feller punched a bayonet through the calf o' it, but that native feller troubled no other man. Jones fought like a demon, an' we lost him in the smoke o' battle.

"Late in the day, when the struggle had ceased an' the smell o' rank powder was 'beginnin' to sieve away through the forest, we started to hunt up our men. We found Jones lyin' across a pile o' severely used natives over again a secluded portion o' the stockade. There he had cornered six desperate men, an' the sight o' his handiwork was exceedin' fair to look upon. We carried Jones tenderly away. The doc, 'e looked at him, an', says doc softly, 'e's dead, poor fellow,' an' there were tears in more eyes than one.

"But that night a man came racin' inter the colonel's but an' bawls out, 'E ain't dead!'

"'Who ain't dead?' yells the colonel.

"'Jones!' cries the man. 'E's come to life again!'

"Down to the surgeon's hut rushes the colonel, all excited an' puzzled. Doc meets him at the door an' cautions him to be quiet.

"'E's kinder wild in his head,' says the doctor, 'an' he's makin' all sorts o' crazy requests.'

"'What does 'e want?' asks the colonel.

"'E's mumbly all the time about goin' back to the leetle horspital,' says the doc.

"'E's a hero,' cries the colonel, an' 'e shall go.'

"'Why, man,' says the other, 'e's got three bola wounds, shot twice through the body an' has been clouted across the head. 'E can't possibly live till mornin'.'

"But Jones heard him say it, an' he calls out weakly, does Jones, 'It's a lie,' says he, 'an' Hi'm goin' back to the leetle horspital!'

"Well 'e don't die a bit. At the end o' a week two natives shouldered his bed an' started for the coast. Hi an' five men went along to guard 'em.

Five paces in the rear more natives sullenly wrestled with the heavy coffin. Our orders were to plant him decently wherever 'e died, an' we determined to do it. After we had marched a week the town came inter sight. By that time Jones was able to sit up an' take notice, but when 'e saw the town an' the leetle red roof o' the horspital 'e started to wave such a frantic welcome with his hand that a hemorrhage resulted. We ordered the two sullen natives to bustle to the front with their burden. But Jones rallied.

"'It's no use,' says he, grittin' his teeth. 'Ye can't bury me in this worn-out soil. If Hi don't reach the leetle horspital throw me overboard inter clean water.' An' we promised. 'E seemed to be sinkin' again, so we takes the shortest cut to the sea.

When we got in view o' the docks we saw a vessel loadin' there. Jones peeked at it, then yelled an' set bolt upright. 'It's the Koolah,' says he. 'Get me aboard, men; get me aboard! I'll be cured to once if ye'll only heave me up the gangway!'

"'What'll cure ye?' Hi queried.

"'Spite,' says Jones, mutterin' a curse.

"So we did. The chief engineer saw us comin' an' nearly had a stroke. But the fun o' all was to see them two sullen natives. They had hustled an' wrestled with that coffin all the way from up country, an' they were all fagged out. With a rich burst o' tropic oaths they cast it out inter the water an' waved their maledictions at the ring o' expandin' ripples that marked its burial.

"'Was that for Jones?' asked a voice.

"Hi looked up to see Sam Rawlins starin' at him. Hi nodded.

"'It don't s'prise me,' 'e said slowly an' thoughtfully. 'E'd cheat anythink. 'E'd cheat the goats that'd feed over his grave! Hi guess Hi'll go an' lock up my terbacker,' says Sam Rawlins. An' he did it."

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In spite of the reputation for latitudinarianism he gained from his early trial for heresy, the late Prof. Jowett, of Oxford, was intolerant of pretentiousness and shallow conceit. One self-satisfied undergraduate met the master one day, "Master," he said, "I have searched everywhere in all philosophies, ancient and modern, and nowhere do I find the evidence of a God." "Mr. —" replied the master, after a shorter pause than usual, "if you don't find a God by 5 o'clock this afternoon you must leave this college."—M. A. P.

Life is real if not altogether earnest among people of a certain type.

"I s'pose John is still taking life easy?" said the woman in the spring cart on the road to Alexandria.

"Yes," answered the woman who was carrying an armful of wood. "John has only two regrets in life. One is that he has to wake up to eat, and the other that he has to quit eating to sleep."

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Most of the troubles that affect little ones may be traced to the stomach and bowels, and if these are put right the child will get well and thrive well. Baby's Own Tablets cure all stomach and bowel troubles and all the other minor ailments of babyhood and childhood. The Tablets are easy to take and are guaranteed free from opiates. Mrs. H. Matthews, Canfield, Ont., says: "I have used Baby's Own Tablets for my little girl who had a weak stomach and was badly constipated. The Tablets cured her of both troubles, and I really feel as if they had saved her life." Sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

As a rule, no Sunday is observed among laborers in Japan, but the first and fifteenth of every month and every local and national holiday are their days of rest.

Lifbuoy Soap is delightfully refreshing for Bath or Toilet. For washing underclothing it is unequalled. Cleanses and purifies.

Tommy (during a temporary lull in the conversation)—I say, ma, isn't it a pity you haven't got the toothache instead of poor Jane?

Ma—Gracious me! Why, dear!

Tommy—Why, 'cos you can take yours out and she can't.

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"What a beautiful little baby he is!" exclaimed the neighbor who had called.

"He isn't six months old yet, either," said the proud young mother, "and he weighs over twenty pounds."

"What have you named him?"

"Well," hesitated the mother, "Henry and I differed a little about that. He wanted to give him one name, and I wanted to give him another; but we finally compromised, and agreed to call him John Wesley."

"I see; you named him after the great founder of Meth—"

"No, indeed," quickly interrupted the mother. "That name, as I said, is a compromise."

"But how?"

"The 'John' is for Calvin, and the 'Wesley' is for John Wesley."

"Oh, I see."

The little daughter of a certain clergyman has reached the age where big words are apt to floor her, and where she is very sensitive to the remarks of an older brother.

Not long ago she came running to her father.

"Papa, papa, George called me names."

"Why, what did George say?"

"Oh, said the little girl, with a strong expression of disgust, "he said I practised what I preached. I don't, do I?"

"Well, my child, I—"

"But I don't, do I papa? I don't any more than you do, do I?"

And then the clergyman flushed. But he took a half hour from his sermon and explained the meaning of the obnoxious expression to the best of his ability.

"Now, gentlemen," said the professor, "name some of the beauties of education!" And a facetious student in the back row shouted: "Pretty school teachers!"

"I say, old man, did I ever tell you about the awful fright I got on my wedding day?" enquired a married man of a chum. "S-s-h-h!" responded the friend warningly. "No man should speak in that way about his wife!"

"Who gave the bride away?"

"Her little brother. He stood up right in the middle of the ceremony and yelled 'Hurrah, Fanny, you've got him at last!'"

W. N. U., No. 762

Gleanings and Gossip

The Russian czar rules over 160,000,000 persons.

One aeroplane factory of Paris employs 52 persons.

The meeting of the British association in 1913 will in all probability be held in Australia. The effort is being made by the officials of the university of Melbourne, who are now in correspondence with the various educational and scientific bodies of the southern continent.

Nuremberg is the centre of the toy trade of the world. More than half the employees in the toy factories are women and girls. The wages of the female toymakers are about five cents an hour. Of the estimated German toy output of \$25,000,000 a year, about \$19,000,000 is exported, more than half going to Great Britain and the United States.

A Berlin museum has recently acquired a very valuable manuscript which originated in the second century B. C. It seems to be of the nature of a biographical dictionary, for it contains a list of the leading men of the time in art, statesmanship and warfare with much other general information of a similar nature. The paper was found in the wrappings of a mummy.

Minards Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Small boys are not always as sympathetic as their relatives wish, but on the other hand, they are seldom as heartless as they sometimes appear.

"Why are you crying so, Tommy?" inquired one of the boy's aunts, who found her small nephew seated on the door-step, lifting up his voice in loud wails.

"The b-baby fell d-down-stairs!" blubbered Tommy.

"Oh, that's too bad," said the aunt, stepping over him and opening the door. "I do hope the little dear wasn't much hurt!"

"S-she's only hurt a little!" wailed Tommy. "But Dorothy s-saw her fall, while I'd gone to the g-grocery! I never a-see anything!"

"Willie, did you put your penny in the contribution box in Sunday school today?"

"No, mamma; I ast Eddy Lake, the preacher's son, if I couldn't keep it an' spend it for candy, an' he gave me permission."

"I diagnose all my cases from the patient's eyes," said a doctor emphatically. "Now, your right eye tells me that your liver is affected."

"Excuse me, doctor," the patient remarked, "but my right eye is a glass one."

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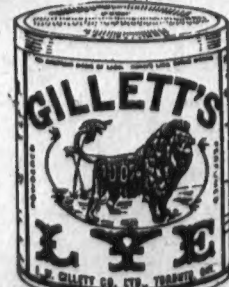
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Officials in Saxony have made successful experiments with a new material called "antidust," a liquid residue of magnesium obtained in the manufacture of potash. It overcomes dust on roadways.

Minard's Liniment for sale everywhere

Japanese factories produced 260,000,000 pounds of paper last year and that nation imported 48,000,000 more pounds.

Exploration Ethics

That ethics might play a part in polar explorations probably was not dreamed of in the earlier days of the art, science, or whatever it may be called. It now seems possible, however, that in future the would-be discoverer of poles and the like will be compelled to take a course in polar ethics before he can secure his license. According to the statement of one of the physicians who accompanied a former expedition poleward, if the newspaper accounts may be relied upon, Dr. Cook, even if he did discover the north pole, ought to be disciplined for "violating the ethics of polar expeditions" by using a portion of the route which another discoverer had laid out.—New York Tribune.

As a result of the world crusade against drug abuses, China this year will reduce by 15 per cent her opium acreage. Dope that formerly, in New York City, could be bought for \$1.50 a pound, now brings \$50 and is hard to get at that.

Do It Now.—Disorders of the digestive apparatus should be dealt with at once before complications arise that may be difficult to cope with. The surest remedy to this end and one that is within reach of all, is Parmelee's Vegetable Pills, the best laxative and sedative on the market. Do not delay, but try them now. One trial will convince anyone that they are the best stomach regulator that can be got.

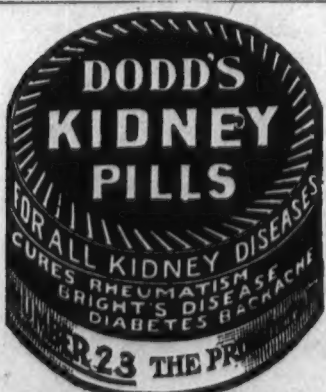
Statistics filed at Chicago show that automobiles have killed 51 persons and injured 1,048 within the limits of that city during the first seven months of the year.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

An application has been filed in England for a patent on a secret process for producing ammonia from the air.

Dysentery corrodes the intestines and speedily eats away the lining, bringing about dangerous conditions that may cause death. Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Dysentery Cordial clears the intestinal canals of the germs that cause the inflammation, and by protecting the lining from further ravages restores them to healthy condition. Those subject to dysentery should not be without this simple yet powerful remedy.

Havana has 400 different kinds of food fish, while England all around has only 50 sorts of food fish.



BALLADS OF A CHEECHAGO.

My rhymes are rough, and often in my rhyming
I've drifted, silver-sailed, on seas of dream,
Hearing afar the bells of Elfland chiming,
Seeing the groves of Arcadia gleam.

I was the thrall of Beauty that rejoices
From peak snow-diademed to regal star;
Yet to mine aeris ever pierced the voices,
The pregnant voices of the Things That Are.

The Here, the Now, the vast Forlorn around us;
The gold-delirium, the ferine strife;
The lusts that lure us on, the hates that bound us;
Our red rage in the patch-work quilt of Life.

The nameless men who nameless rivers travel,
And in strange valleys greet strange deaths alone;
The grim, intrepid ones who would unravel
The mysteries that shroud the Polar Zone.

These will I sing and if one of you linger
Over my pages in the Long, Long Night,
And on some lone line lay a calloused finger,
Saying: "It's human true—it hits me right";
Then will I count this loving toil well spent;
Then will I dream awhile—content, content.

—Robert W. Service.

SPENDING MONEY HERE.

U. S. Consul Calculates American Capital Invested In Canada.

A return, which will be interesting to Canadians, has been made by the United States Consul at Owen Sound, covering the principal manufacturing establishments in Canada which are branches of United States concerns. In all, 128 are given, most of them large companies. Toronto has the largest number—no less than 43. This is followed by Montreal, with 18; Hamilton, with 11; Windsor, 8; Walkerville, 6; Niagara Falls, 5; St. Catharines and Welland, 4 each, and Chatham, London, Sault Ste. Marie, 3 each. The aggregate capital is said to exceed \$125,000,000, and the activity covers pretty much every line of manufacture.

The tariff gets the chief credit for effecting these gains, but some of the American newcomers state that the tariff is by no means the sole consideration. A combination of circumstances induced them to take action. They had arrived at the opinion that the Canadian market was at the beginning of a big expansion and wished to be right on the ground to take advantage of it. Also, they had noticed that their Canadian customers evinced a strong disposition, other things being equal, to favor articles made in Canada. Then they found that there were in the Dominion a number of excellent manufacturing sites from which all the great distributing centres could be reached by water-borne freights; and that they could, before shipment, get freight quotations from the railroads definitely fixing the cost of transportation to almost every little shipping point in the country.

Speculation in the Country.

Those who scoffingly read the mining advertisements in the Toronto daily newspapers and sniff in suspicion at the news of the mining market have very little idea of how great a hold the mining craze has taken upon the smaller towns and villages of the province of Ontario. In Toronto, Montreal, or Ottawa, a mining craze takes possession of the community for perhaps six months; a large number of gentlemen who have no fixed vocation but live on commissions from real estate deals, bond selling, insurance and so on hang up their shingles as mining brokers, prosper for a time, and when the boom subsides seek something else to do. But in the country, where there are small opportunities for playing the races and where the ordinary course of life is apt to seem prosaic when indulged in for 365 days of the year, the prospect of purchasing shares in an area of rock for eleven cents that will be worth five dollars as soon as development takes place is alluring. Thus the mining promoter, whose plant consists of several contracts for thousands of lines of display advertising, finds a ready hearing in the country, while in the city he is dismissed as a mere curbstone faker.

Hurrying Up a Proposal.
Howell—Miss Rowell doesn't say "This is so sudden."
Powell—What does she say?
Howell—She has been studying parliamentary law, and when I told her that she was the only girl I had ever loved she at once said, "I move the previous question."—New York Press.

Papa's Superior Knowledge.
"In some way, George, papa has found out that you are a poet," said the fair girl to the youth with uncut hair.
"That's where your papa has the advantage of the critics," said the young man a little bitterly.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Children are always sustaining cuts, bruises, burns, etc., and not infrequently contract ringworm, scalp diseases, and similar skin troubles at school. Mothers will find Zam-Buk without equal for all these accidents and diseases.

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Mrs. George Aldridge, 12 Louise St., Stratford, says:—"While playing barefooted about the yard my son Bertram, 6 years old, stepped on a broken glass bottle, which cut very deeply into his big toe. The cut was so deep that I sent for a doctor and had the foot properly dressed, the doctor leaving a lotion to be applied daily. Under this treatment, however, the wound seemed to get no better but on the contrary inflammation set in. A kindly neighbor then recommended Zam-Buk. We obtained a supply, and after a few applications the child seemed to rest better, and the pain was very much reduced. In a few days, under the Zam-Buk treatment the wound assumed a better appearance, and from that time healing was very rapid. Inflammation and soreness were finally completely banished, and in ten days from the first application of Zam-Buk, we took the bandages from the foot. I feel sure that but for Zam-Buk the child would have had a very bad time, and might have had to sacrifice the toe."

Not only for cuts, burns, bruises, etc., is Zam-Buk effective but also for serious skin diseases such as eczema, ringworm, ulcers, etc. It also cures poisoned sores, chronic wounds, bad leg, piles, festering sores, chapped hands, cold sores, frost-bite, and all skin injuries and diseases. Druggists and stores everywhere sell at 50c a box, or post free for price from Zam-Buk Co., Toronto; 3 boxes \$1.25. You are warned against harmful imitations sometimes represented to be "just as good."

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Reporter—Professor, what language do you suppose the people nearest the North Pole speak?
The Professor—What a question! Polish, of course.

The most obstinate corns and warts fail to resist Holloway's Corn Cure. Try it.

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Baltimore, Md., Nov. 11, 1903.

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Sirs,—I came across a bottle of your MINARD'S LINIMENT in the hands of one of the students at the University at Maryland, and he being so kind as to let me use it for a very bad sprain, which I obtained in training for foot races, and to say that it helped me would be putting it very mildly, and I therefore ask if you would let me know of one of your agents that is closest to Baltimore so that I may obtain some of it. Thanking you in advance, I remain,
Yours truly,
W. C. McCUEAN.

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Care Oliver Typewriter Co.
P.S.—Kindly answer at once.

In the last ten years 325,000 persons have emigrated from England to the farms of Canada.

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W. N. U., No. 782

POISONED ARROWS.

How a British Force Was Ambushed at Kuta, in Nigeria.

How a British missionary made a hazardous journey in face of a tornado to a scene of an attack on a British force, who were ambushed, is told in the details now to hand of the attack on a British force in Nigeria. The first news came to Minna, a place on the line of the Baro Kano Railway, about 30 miles from the scene of the occurrence, stating that a British force had been cut up at Gussoro by the difficult and treacherous Guari people. This account, which was hurriedly written by the doctor, who was himself wounded, merely stated that the officer in charge was missing, together with a European police officer and a sergeant, and that the writer was himself wounded. The Rev. W. P. Low, who has for some years been working among the Guaris, happened to be at Minna when the news came in. He was hurrying down to the coast on his way home, having only reached Minna that day from his station at Kuta, from which place the wounded doctor had sent his despatch. Mr. Low instantly volunteered to go to Kuta to render any aid possible to the survivors, and also to use his influence with the people. This he did immediately.

Mr. Low spent 12 hours in Kuta, and, having assured himself of the loyalty of the townspeople, resumed his journey to the coast. Picking up a construction train on the way back, he just caught his steamer, but was nearly drowned in a native canoe when going down the Niger. He met the punitive force under Maj. Williams, consisting of 150 men, with a Maxim, on its way to the scene of the ambush. The ill-fated police party had started from Kuta only a few hours before it was attacked. It consisted of Lieut. Vanrenen, Capt. Stone, a doctor, a European sergeant, and 30 police. Accompanying the force was the Chief of Gussoro. Its object was to march to Gussoro, and there reinstate the chief, who, for his loyalty to the British, had been compelled to leave his town. For two months previously it was reported that the Guaris had been making poisoned arrows, and had declared that they would oppose the return of the chief. It was not thought that the people would attack, but as a measure of precaution, Maj. Williams' force had been held in readiness at Kuta, in case of trouble.

When the attack was made, however, the telegraph line was down. Lieut. Vanrenen had only proceeded for a few miles when he was completely overwhelmed by a force of some 600 natives, who surrounded the party in the thick bush. A deadly fire of poisoned arrows, at short range, was poured upon the British. Lieut. Vanrenen being at once killed, his body falling in the long grass. The doctor was also wounded by poisoned arrows, and 11 police were killed. Whatever formation was possible was attempted, but the heavy and well-directed fire completely disorganized the remainder of the police, who fled. Capt. Stone, with great gallantry, went back to try and recover his chief's body, but was unsuccessful, the remains being subsequently found by the punitive force and buried on the spot. The surviving Europeans managed to find their way back to Kuta by hiding in the bush in order to avoid the enemy, who pursued them. The punitive expedition had some stiff fighting, but they inflicted severe punishment on the Guaris, and burnt their town. There were no losses on the British side. The Gussoro chief was at first reported killed, but he succeeded in making good his escape.

The Western Way.

Henry W. Lucy, the famous English journalist, familiarly known as "Toby, M.P.," under which name he writes deliciously humorous Parliamentary comment for Punch, and who was recently rewarded with a Knighthood, tells some rich stories indeed in his recently published volume of reminiscences, "Sixty Years in the Wilderness." He never had any connection with politics, except as a commentator, but for forty years he has always had inside knowledge of everything transpiring or about to transpire in the House, and he has known everybody worth knowing. He writes in delightful anecdotal style of all the famous men of his day.

He tells us a story of Lord Russell, of Killowen, who, while on his Canadian tour, congratulated a waiter in Manitou on the healthiness of the town.

"I guess it's pretty wal," replied the waiter.

"When we built a school house nothing would do for some of the citizens but they must have a cemetery. We laid it out and walled it in, but we had to shoot a man to start it."

The Man of All Others.

Three girls are exchanging confidences and telling each other what sort of men they like best.

First Girl—I like a man with a past. A man with a past is always interesting.

Second Girl—That's true, but I don't think he is nearly so interesting as a man with a future.

Third Girl—The man who interests me is the man with a present.

Classic, But Complicated.

He has just heard one of those classic and complicated pieces of parlor music which, for reasons best known to the composer, are dubbed waltzes.

"What do you think of it?" he was asked.

"Well," he answered reflectively, "if that thing's a waltz none but a centipede could keep time to it."



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OLDS NEWS

Mr Reeves was a Bowden visit-
ing Thursday.

Tame hay sold at \$13 per ton
here this week.

The Crown Lumber Co. will
begin to erect their new building
next week.

Mrs Frank Webster, of Alberta
Hotel left on Monday's train for
Calgary on a short vacation.

The ladies of the English church
here will hold a concert in the
opera house, Olds, on Thanksgiv-
ings Day.

An office for the Olds Observer
will be opened the first of the week
for the benefit of our many patrons
and subscribers.

Mrs S J Craig and Mrs C G
Craig, returned on the 5th, from

the WCTU provincial conven-
tion at Medicine Hat.

Dr M Clark, MP and Thos Mc-
Kercher returned from Edmonton
the first of the week delighted with
the corner stone celebration.

The Olds Furniture Store is
doing a land-office business in the
furniture these days. Gunning
says it certainly does pay to ad-
vertise in the News.

If you are fond of good enter-
tainments you should examine the
posters of the Cassels-Percival
entertainers. These artists will
be with us on Friday, Oct. 15th.

E. Howard Scott and Mae Sil-
verthorn were married at the
home of the bride's parents on
Wednesday, Sept. 29, 1909. The
Observer extend congratulations.

Mr Frank Henderson was grate-
fully surprised when he received re-
cently a valuable Berlioz de Salle
violin, the gift of Marie Hall, one
of the most renowned violin artists
in the world. While Marie Hall
was in Calgary last winter, Mr
Henderson played several selec-
tions before her, receiving many
flattering comments. Mr Hender-
son is to be congratulated on being
the worthy possessor of a valuable
violin-with the good will of Marie
Hall.

Lone Pine

When strangers come into our
district it is a very common ques-
tion, "Why the name Lone Pine?"
On making inquiries, I find that
in the early stage coach days, there
was to be found, by the old Ed-
monton trail, on the farm now
owned by Mr Hess, a flourishing
lun—or to use the western term,
"Stop-in House" where the stage
and mail put up, on their trips
from Calgary to Edmonton. Close
by was a pine tree, the only one to
be seen about, and with seemingly
no excuse for being there, but its
beauty, which by the way, is an
excuse very few of us have. How-
ever, they called the place Lone
Pine and then proceeded to cut
down the pine tree. Now, when
asked "Why called Lone Pine?"
we answer in the words of "Old
Bill in the Prospector" — "Wal,
stranger, I reckon, chiefly because
there be no Pines." But the stage
coach days here passed away and
the "Stop-in house", which like
many of the hotels of our time
more appropriately termed the
"Take-in House," has disappeared.
Now we find farm houses thickly
dotted over the district, a neat
modern school in the midst and the
prospect of telephone connections
in the near future, and though, per-
haps at times we may sigh for the
romance of the buffalo and stage
coach days, we are, on the whole
very well content, that our lot has
been cast, rather in the Lone Pine
of the present.

Miss Sarah Smyth of Trochu,
formerly of Lone Pine is
spending a few days here, renewing
old acquaintances. At present she
is the guest of Miss Carrie Hess.

Mrs Hess and Miss Lee spent
Saturday in Bowden.

The special children's service
held here Sunday was well attended
and the service very interesting.
Addresses were given by Mr Puf-
fer of Olds and Mr Chalmers, on
"What the Bible has done for us,"
and "The use we are making of
the Bible." The music by the
Bowden choir was particularly en-
joyable. We only wish we might
occasionally have them with us.

Going in and out of the homes
of the district, lately, we are so
often asked—"Have you seen this
week's News?" and "It is the best
local paper about here." The en-
terprise of the editor is certainly
to be commended.



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MALCOLM KIRK

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"Robert Hardy's Seven Days."

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CHAPTER I.

The senior class in the theological seminary at Hermon had just had its picture taken by the photographer, and the members were still grouped about the steps of the chapel.

"There's one thing the photographer forgot," said a short, red faced man who sat in the middle of the group. "He didn't think to say, 'Look pleasant, now, if you please.'"

"He didn't need to. We all look so, anyhow." The man who spoke sat immediately behind the first speaker and had his hands on the other's shoulders.

"I'm sure we don't feel very pleasant. I mean, we are not pleased to think this is almost the last time we shall be together as a class," said a tall, delicate, pale faced man who was standing up at the top of the steps with his back against the door.

He spoke in a quiet, low voice, and there was a hush after he spoke. There is as much sentiment among theological students, as among any average number of professional men. In some directions there is more than among the like number of law or medical students.

After a moment of silence some one began to ask questions about the future prospects of the class. The red faced, jolly looking young man in the center was going to take a church in northern Vermont. The man just behind him had received a call as assistant pastor of an institutional church in Philadelphia. The delicate featured student up by the chapel door was going to teach school a year and find a church as soon as he had paid off his college debts.

Every member of the class had spoken of his prospects except one. This one sat on the extreme edge of the group, as if he had purposely chosen to be as inconspicuous as possible in the picture. A stranger carelessly walking by would have instantly judged him to be the homeliest, least interesting man in the class. He had dull brown hair, very heavy and stiff, pale blue eyes, a rather large mouth, the lips of which, however, were firm and full of character, high cheek bones and an unusually high forehead. His arms and legs were very long, and his general attitude, as he sat on the edge of the steps, was almost strikingly awkward.

"Here's Kirk; hasn't said a word yet," cried the little man who had first spoken. "What are you going to do, Kirk?"

Every member of the class turned and looked at the figure sitting on the edge of the group. It was noticeable that while several of the class smiled at the question, "What are you going to do?" there was no disrespect in the smile, and on every man's face was a look of real interest, amounting to an excited curiosity.

Malcolm Kirk smiled slightly as he looked up. He did not look at any member of the class in particular, but seemed to include them all in a friendly interest that was affectionate and gentle.

"I don't know. I am waiting for a call. I've had one and accepted it, but I need another before I can go to work."

Everybody stared. The man up by the chapel door had a look in his eye as if he understood what Kirk meant, but no one else seemed to catch his meaning.

"My first call was from the Lord, several years ago. I feel perfectly satisfied with it. He wants me to preach. But so far none of the churches seems to agree with him. At least none of them has asked me to preach. So I'm waiting for my second call."

He spoke without the least touch of irreverence or even humor. The impression made on the class was a feeling of honest perplexity concerning the future prospects of Malcolm Kirk.

"I don't see," said the man who was to be the assistant pastor of the institutional church in Philadelphia, "why Kirk hasn't had a call to a large church. We all know he has more brains than all the rest of us put together. I think it is a shame the churches should pass by such a man and—"

"It's easy enough to see the reason," Kirk spoke without the shadow of any irritation in his manner. "You fellows know as well as I do that brains under hair like mine don't count with the average city congregation." He laughed good naturedly, and the class joined him. Then some one said:

"Why don't you dye it black, Kirk?" "I can't afford to," he replied gravely. "That isn't the only reason I don't get a call. I'm too awkward in the pulpit. Did I tell anybody the last time I preached in the Third church at Concord I knocked a vase of flowers off the pulpit with my elbow, and when

it fell on the floor it waked up every officer in the church? Of course I never could expect to get a call from that church."

Everybody laughed, and Kirk drew one of his feet up under him and smiled a little. At the same time no one could detect a trace of ill humor or lack of seriousness in his tone or manner. The first impression Malcolm Kirk made on people was that of downright sincerity. The longer people knew him the stronger this impression grew.

"That's nothing," exclaimed one of the class after the laugh subsided. "I had a great time two weeks ago when I went up to Manchester to preach. I laid my notes down on the desk, and there was a strong breeze blowing across the pulpit, which stood directly between two open windows, and while the anthem was being sung half my sermon blew out of one of the windows."

"The congregation was spared just so much, then, wasn't it?" said a man down on the bottom step.

"Accidents will happen to any one," said Kirk quietly. "But mine are not accidents; they're habits of life. I can overcome them, though. The churches don't know that; so I don't blame them for not giving me a call."

"Well, I think it's a shame, as I said," the assistant pastor of the institutional church repeated. "The churches think more of the way a man dresses and behaves in the pulpit than they do of what he says. And they criticize everything from his prayers to the polish of his boots."

There was silence again. The class had been over all that many times before, and they were practically a unit in their opinion of what the churches seemed to demand in a successful candidate for a call.

Finally some one recurred to the class picture again.

"I don't believe Kirk's in this picture at all. He sat too far out. The photographer kept telling him to move in farther. But I believe he moved out again just at the last minute."

"I only moved one of my feet out," said Kirk solemnly. "I thought one of them was enough. I didn't want to have to pay extra for more than my share of the photograph."

"But we want the whole of you in the picture, Kirk," said the man next to him, laying an affectionate hand on Kirk's arm. The entire class turned again toward the awkward, shambling figure and seemed to repeat the gesture of the one classmate. Then the talk drifted back again to the future plans of the members and to serious and humorous reminiscences of the three years' course until one after another went away and the class group was broken up into little knots of two and three as the men walked to their rooms or lingered under the great elms, arm in arm.

Kirk and the companion who had laid his hand on his friend's arm remained a little while on the steps.

"What will you do, Kirk?"

"I think I shall offer myself to the Home Missionary society and ask them to send me to the hardest place they can find out west somewhere."

"But how about all your scholarship, your—your ability?" The other man hesitated for the right word.

Kirk colored slightly, the first indication he had shown of a sensitiveness in that direction.

"I can use anything I know anywhere. Preach I must, even if I have



"The German scholarship is awarded to Malcolm Kirk."

to go into the streets and speak from the tail end of a wagon and never have a parish. But I do want a parish and a people. I can love people like everything. I feel hungry to have a parish of my own."

The other man was silent. He had never felt just like that, but he thought he could understand.

"I hope you will have such a church some time. I would like to be a member of it."

"Thank you!" Kirk smiled. "Wilson,

if you were that church I would have a unanimous call. I am sure there is a work for me somewhere in God's great world, else why did he give me such a passion to speak to men and love them?"

Malcolm Kirk looked out across the great seminary campus and spoke with a conscious cry of heart longing. The beautiful June day was nearly gone.

The future for him was as indefinite and unsettled as any condition can be. Yet the strong, patient, undisturbed realities of his call to preach the gospel were as unmoved as the sky of that lovely June day. The light would soon fade out of the heavens, but the sky would still remain.

The next day was commencement at Hermon seminary. The chapel was filled with a representative congregation of Hermon people, friends and relatives of the classes, the trustees and officers of the seminary and the usual number of undergraduates.

Before the speaking began the president of the faculty came forward to make the usual list of announcements concerning the annual prizes and scholarships.

It was the custom at Hermon for the annual announcements to be made at the close of the exercises of commencement. For some reason, however, this order was changed, and the audience listened with unusual interest to the president's remarks.

He had read the names of the winners in Hebrew and New Testament scholarship and the successful man in the general work of the entire course. He paused now at the end of the list and then read the last name, looking down at the graduating class as he did so:

"The German scholarship is awarded to Malcolm Kirk of the graduating class."

There had been a slight rustling of applause as the different names were read, but when Kirk's name was spoken the class applauded vigorously, and the clapping extended over the chapel very heartily. Kirk sat bolt upright and blushed very red, and Wilson, who was sitting by him, exclaimed in a loud whisper: "Good! That means \$700 and a year abroad."

Kirk said nothing. There was no question he was pleased. His lips trembled, and he shuffled his feet under the pew, and his great hands opened and shut nervously. When his turn came to go up on the platform to speak, he felt as if his natural awkwardness and shyness had been doubled by the attention directed to him by the winning of the best scholarship in the gift of the seminary.

The minute he began to speak all this shyness disappeared. It was true Kirk loved to face an audience. He loved people, and after the first moment of conscious fright was passed he eagerly entered the true speaker's position and enjoyed both the audience and his own effort in addressing it.

His subject was "The Business of Preaching." What was it? How did it differ from oratory? What was the object of preaching? What were the materials of preaching? And so on. He spoke straight on, with his heart in what he said. It was in the thought of more than one minister in the audience that this man who had won the German scholarship had a remarkably good voice. More than one pastor felt like envying the peculiar tone of that voice. It had a carrying quality that commanded attention and held it. And nearly every man on the seminary faculty was wondering why Kirk had received no call from any church. There was no question as to his ability. He had both brains and heart. It is true his face and figure were not in his favor. He was not of the orthodox ministerial cut. His clothes were not a very good fit. But were the churches looking for a fashion plate for an ornamental failure behind the pulpit?

In the audience that morning there were also two other persons who paid close attention to Kirk while he was speaking. One of these was a young man nearly Kirk's age, with a face and manner that spoke of the most sensitive, refined breeding. It was the face of a dreamer—dark eyes, waving dark hair, handsome features, thin, delicate, curved lips and the hands of an artist. His clothes were made of the finest material and bore the stamp of that unconscious gentlemanly feeling which always goes with a man who has all his life been used to expensive details. As he sat there listening to Malcolm Kirk this morning Francis Raleigh was attracted by the voice of the speaker. He had listened to the others with a conventional interest that did not mean anything to him. He started the moment that Kirk spoke the first word and fastened his look upon him until he was through. He then resumed his previous attitude of mild indifference to the programme.

(To be Continued.)

At a court of justice in Australia much frequented by Chinese a newly appointed crier was ordered by the judge to summon a witness to the stand.

"Call for Ah Song," was the command. The crier was puzzled for a moment. He glanced shyly at the judge, but found him quite grave. Then he turned to the spectators: "Gentlemen," he asked, "would any of you favor his lordship with a song?"

BATH-ROOM MOTTOES.

Epigrams Designed to Cheer Up the
Ablution Department.

It is very odd that while mottoes have been made, invented and borrowed for every other room in the house, the bathroom should be mottoless. Verses appropriate to the bedroom come prettily framed, the dining-room walls sometimes show a mural decoration of good cheer, an appropriate verse is carved into the library mantel, while smoking-room, den and living-room each boasts a special incentive to smoke, loaf, or indulge in cheery chatter in painted, pyrographed, or stencilled verse or prose. Only the bathroom remains mottoless.

No invitation to turn on as hot a bath as one wishes adorns its walls. No cheerful assurance that "in this house water is a luxury, not a necessity, so use it at will." Not even the commonplace that cleanliness is next to godliness serves as an inducement for the children to become amphibious oftener than they are driven.

Surely, with so vast a field for invention or imitation, there should be no dearth of mottoes for the bathroom. For example, take Bacon's "Cleanliness of body was ever esteemed to proceed from a due reverence to God."

And here's one from sixteenth century John Heywood—

The loss of wealth is loss of dirt.

As ages at all times assert,

The happy man's without a shirt.

Or Pope's scornful prod: "A heap of dust alone remains of three." "Ay! there's the rub" might be carved into the towel rack, while let into, or over the tub, Byron's "Once on the waters, yet once more," or Milton's—

Listen where thou art sitting

Under the glossy, cool, translucent

ave

would be most appropriate.

These are only a few crude suggestions with which to enliven the walls of the most important room in the house. Anyone with time and ingenuity, with a quotation book or a ready pen, may make the bathroom walls so interesting to the sometime bather that even the boy of the family may hear, without sullen acknowledgment, the old, familiar: "Be sure and take a bath, Bobbie, before you go to bed."

WORLD'S RICHEST MEN.

Fortunes Typical of Countries in
Which They Were Made.

The greatest fortunes in the largest cities of the world are curiously typical of the countries in which their owners live, as the death of the noted shopkeeper of Paris, M. A. Chaudron, reminds those who observe the characteristics of nations and races.

This great retailer of merchandise founded his business on women's clothing and women's finery. His success began in that field, which is exactly where the richest man in Paris might be expected to find his wealth. The French metropolis certainly lived up to its reputation in building a fortune for a retail merchant which overtopped all other big estates in that gay centre of the world's fashions and the world's merry-making.

The richest man in New York built his vast wealth on manufactures. So did the owner of the second of the great fortunes of that city's residents. The richest Londoner is supposed to be the Duke of Westminster, whose wealth represents landed possessions acquired from ancestors who obtained their real estate by royal favor generations ago. In Germany the greatest fortune belongs to the heirs of a maker of cannon and other products of iron and steel. Since Krupp is dead, the richest man in active business in the German Empire is probably a Berlin banker.

If the gossip of financial circles is to be relied upon, the greatest fortunes in Austria-Hungary and Russia are landed estates, the accretion of generations of special privileges and grants from sovereigns. Like conditions exist in Spain and Italy, though in the last country some of the manufacturers are fast rising to the level of the richest nobles, in pecuniary resources.

But Paris rated its most famous shopkeeper as its wealthiest citizen, which is in perfect accord with the fitness of things.

The Mean Thing!

Mrs. Poyndexter was dropping off to sleep, but her husband was wakeful. "I heard a story to-day," he began, "about—"

"Oh, don't bother me, Jason!" she murmured. "I'm sleepy."

"I was only going to say—"

"I don't want to hear it!"

"It's about—"

"Can't you let me go to sleep?"

"About Mrs.——"

"Mrs. Who?" demanded his wife, sitting straight up, wide eyed and interested.

"I've always noticed," said Mr. Poyndexter, yawning, "that the way to get a woman's attention is to tell her a story about some other woman."

Rattling a Witness.

"I will ask you, Mr. Giles," said the lawyer, proceeding to cross-examine him, "if on the night of May 16, 1904, you were not threatened with bodily violence by your neighbors for beating your old father on the head with a club?"

"Sir!" spluttered the indignant witness. "What do you mean?" "Oh, well," rejoined the lawyer, "it isn't fair, perhaps, to ask you that question. It has nothing to do with this case. You needn't answer it. That's all Mr. Giles. You may step aside."

JEM MACE IS PENNILESS

FAMOUS ENGLISH FIGHTER AN
OBJECT OF CHARITY AT 78.

Veteran Pugilist is a Great Dresser. However, and is a Common Sight on Piccadilly on Sunny Afternoons— He is Strong and Active and Even Now is a Formidable Man for a Novice to Meet in a Bout.

Jem Mace, the old champion pugilist, has been in the public eye a great deal the past few months. Jem is today without a cent and has made applications to the English Government for an old age pension, but without success thus far. The veteran pugilist at one time could have drawn his check for \$350,000, but lost the money through unfortunate speculations and on the turf, having been a keen lover of horses in his prime. Yet the old warrior is far from being absolutely destitute, for he has a host of friends, says a correspondent who recently visited him in England. His brother-in-law has urged him again and again to make his home with him, but the old man insists on being independent and continues to live alone in a little room in Islington. He spends a few hours every day in the snug of the



JEM MACE.

Bluecoat Boy, an old-fashioned Islington inn that was a famous resort of sporting men in the days gone by. Almost any afternoon he may be found sitting there, surrounded by an admiring crowd of youngsters, who are eager to hear of his great battles of the past.

Although 78 years old Mace does not appear more than 50 to-day. He is as strong and as active on his feet as many a man of half his age, and he is ready to-day for a friendly bout with any one who comes along. It is well for the enthusiastic amateur who puts on the gloves with him not to be too confident, for he is likely to get a blow that will make him dizzy.

The old fighter is a great dandy. His silk hat is of the shape and style of 20 years ago, but it is as glossy as the day it came out of the hatter's bandbox, and his frock coat of the same vintage is without spot or speck and is carefully pressed and buttoned round his athletic old figure. His gray moustache is as carefully waxed as a cavalry officer's and any one who met the veteran strolling along Piccadilly on a sunny afternoon would put him down for some bygone dandy revisiting the scenes of his past triumphs.

At the South Pole.

Many interesting sidelights on the experiences of the Shackleton South Polar expedition continue to be given by the members of the company. For instance, Professor Davis, of Sydney University, on his return, related in the Melbourne Argus how the company kept entirely free from cold until two bales of clothing from London were unpacked. As soon as these were opened all took severe colds. There must, he thinks, have been germs in the bales, as the atmosphere of the antarctic is free from noxious germs.

Professor Davis also states that during the winter they kept to the true day and night, although it was always dark, except that at noon a faint twilight in the sky was visible.

Mr. Bertram Armitage, of Victoria, another member of the expedition, states that the most remarkable effect of the cold which he noticed was the loss of the sense of touch in the fingers. It was almost complete. "Suppose you wanted to look for a knife in your kit-bag, you would put your hand in and feel round for it, and you would actually have it in your hand and not know. It was the same with everything we handled. We saw that we picked it up, and saw that we held the article; we could not feel that we had it."

Seasonable Signs.

The summer's with us once again, With all its heat and bluster. The girl comes out in colors vain, The man in linen duster.

One Girl to Another.

Edyth—Jack says I was made to kiss. Mayme—A diplomatic way of referring to your turned up nose, wasn't it?

Two Coats.

Think you that he would coatless go. The jaunty summer man? Be certain that it is not so; He wants a coat—of tan.

BIG DAY AT EDMONTON

CORNER STONE OF LEGISLATIVE BUILDINGS IS LAID

Earl Grey, Governor-General of Canada, Presided at Impressive Ceremony, and Delivered a Stirring Address—Brief Speeches by Representatives of Sister Provinces—The City was Decorated for the Occasion

Edmonton.—The corner stone of the new legislative buildings was laid in this city in a most fitting manner. Earl Grey, governor-general of Canada, presided at the ceremony and declared the stone well and truly laid. The streets were lined with eager thousands to see the Governor-General, and also to witness the brilliant procession which preceded him on his way to the new buildings. First came an advance guard of the 19th Alberta Mounted Rifles, their arms and accoutrements gleaming in the sun, and their horses prancing to the music of the many bands in the parade. They were followed by the Strathcona band, "B" squadron of the Mounted Rifles, the 101st regiment of Fusiliers, Boys' Brigade, Cadets, Edmonton band, school children, Olds band, Imperial Veterans, civic officials in carriages, the Calgary Citizens' band, the police and fire brigade, and "A" squadron of the Alberta Mounted Rifles.

As Earl Grey and his party reached the platform from which the stone was to be laid, the cheering ceased and all eyes turned to Premier Rutherford, who on behalf of the province called on the Governor-General to lay the stone. In a short speech the Premier referred to the work done by Earl Grey since he had been in Canada, and said that the people of Alberta bore witness to his ability and tact during the time he had been representing the King in the Dominion of Canada. He also referred to the fact that it was four years since Earl Grey had presided at the inauguration ceremonies of the provincial government, but that the growth since that short time had been remarkable.

In complying with the request to lay the stone, the Governor-General also referred to the fact that Alberta had made great strides forward since the time he last presided at an official ceremony in Edmonton. "Your population has increased from 120,000 to 225,000, and the prosperity of your early days has proved a magnet of great power."

Referring to the ever increasing stream of settlers, he said that it had been distinguished not less for its quality than its quantity, and he prophesied that in time the population of Alberta would reach the 2,000,000 mark.

The school children, who occupied a prominent place in the parade, also came in for some warm encomiums from His Excellency, whose whole speech was happy and optimistic in tone.

"It is only right and proper that the legislative and executive buildings of which I have the honor, as representative of the crown, to lay the corner stone, should assume an importance and a character which will impress the immigration not only of your province but of the world with a sense of your belief in the greatness of your destiny. It is only right and fitting that this beautiful city should be provided with legislative and executive buildings which, like the parliament buildings of Quebec, Victoria and Ottawa, may prove to be a source of pride and an inspiration to all Canadians," he said in conclusion. "That the influence that will radiate from the buildings to be erected upon this corner stone may for all time be animated by a quick sympathy for the wants of the province, and by an enlightened determination to study correctly and to zealously promote the interests of your people is my fervent prayer. That it may honestly and wisely discharge its important duties without fear or favor is my respectful hope. In that hope and prayer as representative of his most gracious majesty, I now have the honor to be, I declare this corner stone well and truly laid."

As the great stone descended into its place containing copies of the leading newspapers of the province, coins of the realm and the other essentials, the scene was very impressive, and when Earl Grey tapped on it with the golden trowel, cheer after cheer rent the air.

Hon. I. B. Lucas, Hon. Frank Oliver and Hon. Walter Scott, representing the province of Ontario, the Dominion government and the province of Saskatchewan, also spoke briefly, after which amid more cheering the governor-general and the official parties left to prepare for the big vice-regal ball.

The Thistle Rink, where the vice-regal ball was held, had been decorated and the brilliant uniforms of the officers, with the sombre conventional attire of the civilian guests and the beautiful gowns of the ladies, made a scene which was unrivalled for color and brilliancy. Over two thousand guests were at the ball, including all the members of the provincial legislature.

Canada Establishes a Geodetic Survey

London.—At a meeting of the International Geodetic Association W. F. King, in presenting the report from Canada, announced that the Dominion Government recently decided in favor of making a main triangulation of Canada not merely sufficient for topographical purposes, but of the highest possible accuracy. The department would henceforth be known as the geodetic survey of Canada.

PREVENTING PRAIRIE FIRES

Minister of Agriculture Harcourt Has Issued Circular Calling Attention to the Law

Calgary.—Owing to the exceeding dry fall and the consequent danger from prairie fires the Alberta department of agriculture has thought it advisable to state that in addition to the special fire guardians appointed by the minister of agriculture the prairie fire ordinance provides that all councillors of local improvement districts, justices of the peace and all members of the Royal North West Mounted Police are fire guardians by virtue of their office and have the power to order out to fight fires "any grown-up male person under sixty years of age (other than postmasters, railway station agents, members of the medical profession, telegraph operators, conductors, brakemen, firemen or trainmen) residing or then being within ten miles of a prairie fire or within 15 miles of a bush fire to proceed at once to the locality of such fire and assist in extinguishing it; and any person neglecting or refusing without lawful excuse to obey any such order shall be guilty of an offence and liable on summary conviction thereof to a penalty not exceeding \$5.00."

British Gov. Arranges with Marconi

London.—The government, after prolonged negotiations, has completed arrangements to take over all the coast stations of the Marconi wireless system, excepting the long distance stations at Clifton and Poldhu, which the company retains for its projected trans-Atlantic service. The government pays \$75,000 for these stations, and gets also the right to use all existing patents and all improvements made during the next fourteen years. Under the control of the British postal department, the Marconi stations will be opened for communication equally with all ships, irrespective of their wireless system. Up to the present time, the Marconi company has endeavored to persuade all ships to install its system. The post office is taken over, also all the Lloyds wireless stations.

The admiralty has long urged the vital importance of vesting the control of wireless telegraphy in the post office and there is a widespread sentiment against allowing the establishment of a private monopoly in wireless telegraphy.

No Extension in the Telegraph

Edmonton.—The construction of the Lesser Slave Lake extension of the government telegraph from Athabasca Landing will not be carried through to completion until next year. This has been definitely announced by Hon. Frank Oliver since his arrival in the city to Mr. Harrison of the board of trade who had wired him several weeks ago. Mr. Oliver has received word from Ottawa that the appropriation for the extension of the line has been exhausted, and that there will be no means of carrying forward the work again until after next session of the House of Commons.

The extension north from Athabasca Landing is completed to within 20 miles of the east end of Lesser Slave Lake or within 200 miles of the settlement at the west end of the lake, which will be the terminus for the present of the extension. An additional appropriation of at least \$4,000 will be required to complete the extension.

Depends on Lords

London.—Should the House of Lords reject the budget a general election will be held in January, by which time the new registry of voters will be ready. This announcement was made semi-officially. There is a growing feeling among the Liberals, however, that the upper house will not take this drastic step. One of the influences making for peace is the King, who is averse to having an acute constitutional issue raised. Mr. Balfour and Lord Lansdowne are also believed to favor the passage of the budget by the House of Lords. The more ardent tariff reformers, on the other hand, demand its rejection, and it is expected that their representatives in the lords, led by Lord Milner, will urge this policy. The upper house in the meantime, is further aggravating the Liberals. Lord Lansdowne, while urging the lords not to reject the Irish land bill, promised to support the drastic amendments to this measure when it reaches the committee stage.

Lord Northcliffe's Views

Montreal.—Lord Northcliffe in an interview as to his impressions of western Canada, said:

"The great northwest is the nearest approach to an ideal for middle aged men who want to invest, and for young men who want to get there. There is ample room for superfluous Britons and endless opportunities for English business men who wish to embark capital. Lord Northcliffe will attend the opening ceremony of the great paper mills he has established there at a cost of seven and a half million dollars. The industry will give employment to 15,000 people. He announced his intention to establish direct service steamship for freight and passengers between England and Newfoundland."

Indians to Demand Rights

Vancouver.—The B.C. Indians have decided on holding a big convention of chiefs entitled to interest in all lands of the province under the terms of confederation. What method they will take of enforcing this position is not known. Twenty-nine chiefs will attend the meeting.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL

Lesson II.—Fourth Quarter, For Oct. 10, 1909.

THE INTERNATIONAL SERIES.

Text of the Lesson, Acts xiii, 11-24. Memory Verses, 11—Golden Text, Pa. xci, 2—Commentary Prepared by Rev. D. M. Stearns.

The two great events of this chapter are Paul testifying before the Jewish council and his being sent to Felix, the governor of Caesarea. The chief captain, having rescued him from the Jerusalem mob and having given him permission to speak to them from the stairs before being taken into the castle, was greatly perplexed when, after a time of great silence and patient listening, the multitude suddenly became full of frenzy because of something he said. As Paul had spoken in Hebrew the chief captain knew not what he had talked about nor what stirred them so. He was about to exert from the prisoner by scourging the reason of their outcry when Paul told him he was a Roman citizen.

Paul's first utterance drew forth a rebuke from the high priest and a command to smite him on the mouth. Jesus was probably smitten thus (John xviii, 2), but he answered meekly, Paul not so meekly at first. Perceiving that some of those present were Pharisees and some Sadducees, Paul acknowledged himself a Pharisee and said, "Of the hope and resurrection of the dead I am called in question," for the Sadducees say that there is no resurrection, neither angel nor spirit, but the Pharisees confess both (verses 6, 8). This led to a strife between the two parties, the Pharisees taking Paul's part and crying: "We find no evil in this man. Let us not fight against God." The strife between the two parties was so great that again the chief captain was compelled to rescue Paul from them by force and bring him into the castle.

Can you wonder that the church as seen by the world today does not draw men to God through Jesus Christ? All sorts of religion, Trinitarian and Unitarian, Calvinist and Arminian, post-millennial and pre-millennial, are in the eyes of the world just so many opinions of men, one as good as another and none good for much, for where is He seen who has all power in heaven and on earth, the Righteous One, the Prince of Peace—will such religion ever win the world to Christ? The Scriptures do not so teach us, but God has a plan which He has revealed to us in His word, and every purpose of His shall be performed (Isa. xiv, 24). Verse 11 is certainly a light above the brightness of the sun in the midst of the surrounding darkness, not simply the darkness of the natural night, but the spiritual darkness of the times. "The Lord stood by him," and he never could forget it. Hear him as after many years, when he felt that the time of his departure had really come, he says, "The Lord stood with me and strengthened me" (11 Tim. ix, 17); "Be of good cheer, Paul!" Imagine, if you can, the events of the past day or two and put yourself in Paul's place and say what such a visit from the Lord Jesus and such words might mean to you. Was Paul beginning to see that perhaps his coming to Jerusalem was a mistake, to say the least, and that he had brought all this on himself by not heeding the voice of the Spirit and the counsel of his brethren, and was he cast down and discouraged? Well, here is his blessed Lord, who loves to the uttermost and to the end, the one who said to Simon Peter: "Verily, verily, I say unto you, the cock shall not crow till thou hast denied me thrice. Let not your heart be troubled! Oh, He is so full of compassion! He knows us thoroughly and loves us notwithstanding all the sin and weakness He sees in us. Whatever may have been your failure, dear reader, if you are truly His and do really desire to please Him, He is saying to you, "Be of good cheer!" Consider the other five places where Jesus and He only, used this particular word, one word in the Greek (Matt. ix, 2, 22; xiv, 27; Mark x, 49; John xvi, 33), and whether you are utterly helpless physically, or your life seems surely going from you, or you think you will perish, or you can't see anything, or your trials seem too great, He is saying, "Be of good cheer."

The mob might bowl and the religious ones contend, but the Lord in heaven had heard Paul testify to Him. If by word and deed we are testifying of Him, then it is truly the work of the Spirit in us (John xv, 26). Paul is assured that he must bear witness at Rome also, as he had desired. "The Lord will fulfill the desire of them that fear Him" (Ps. cxiv, 19). "Delight thyself in the Lord, and He shall give thee the desires of thine heart" (Ps. xxxvii, 4)—this verse is lesson enough for a lifetime. But let us look further. During the night Paul received these assurances from the Lord Himself: In the morning his sister's

son brings him word that more than forty men have sworn that they will neither eat nor drink till they have killed him. God and the devil. He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh; the Lord shall have them in derision. I wonder how long they fasted ere they discovered the vanity of their oath and purpose. Paul did not disregard their purpose, but through the boy made it known to the authorities and then rested in the Lord to work out His purpose, part of which was evidently to send him to Caesarea.

MORE EXPERIMENTAL FARMS

Minister of Agriculture Comments Upon Indifferent Farming Methods in the West

Ottawa.—Hon. Mr. Fisher's visit to western Canada is expected to result in important agricultural developments. The minister has decided as a result of his observations that more sub-stations are necessary and the estimates of his department for the ensuing fiscal year will include sums required for this purpose. There will also be a couple of large experimental farms, the sites for which will be decided upon in a short time.

Mr. Fisher regrets the tendency in western Canada to slovenly farming, but he says that so long as big profits can be made by hurrying cultivation of large areas, it is very natural that it will be continued. Time, however, will bring about changes and in a decade rotation by crops will have to be the rule, rather than the exception.

Regarding British Columbia, Mr. Fisher expressed the view that the stringency of labor was retarding development in that province; still great strides are being made. He expects to see a large export trade to Europe develop at Vancouver in a few years and Vancouver, he thinks, will in time rank next to Montreal as the largest city in the Dominion.

Canadian Labor Federation

Ottawa.—Interesting references and recommendations concerning the military forces, as to the status of the foreign labor organizations in Canada, the question of immigration and other matters, appear in the reports and addresses made at the first annual convention of the Canadian Federation of Labor, which was held here. The executive committee's report drew attention to the work of the foreign labor organizations in Canada, and asked the convention to consider the advisability of inviting the government to inquire into their operations in this country. This report also drew attention to the question of imperial defence, stating that this was at present looming large before the people of Canada. A recommendation was made that the convention place itself on record as declaring in favor of a voluntary military service, as represented by the present militia system, no regular army, and approving of a naval police, consistent with the needs and resources of the country, to act in harmony with the other portions of the British colonies, but preserving complete Canadian autonomy in the matter of control. All warships or military equipment should be manufactured in Canada.

The appointment of a minister of labor was looked upon with satisfaction.

The attention of the convention was drawn to the drastic way in which the American alien labor law is operated along the Canadian border. Immigration was referred to, the report stating that Canada has room for countless workers but should be careful what kind be admitted. The committee gave notice that it would ask the convention to petition the government to make the Lemieux or industrial disputes act applicable to all industrial disputes.

In Praise of Canada

London.—A chorus of praise of Canada and things Canadian was heard at the National Union of Woman Workers' reception to delegates to the International Council of Woman Workers at Toronto. Doctor Mary Murdoch said she was much struck by the great comradeship between men and women in Canada and wished it could be copied in England at it tended to break down the somewhat hostile feelings which sometimes existed between the sexes. Until that was done in England they would never make the progress they otherwise might.

Mrs. Edwin Grey said the twentieth century was Canada's. The Dominion possessed illimitable opportunities, was in feverish haste to develop them and had no use for our "ne'er-do-wells and misfits."

Miss E. C. Harvey remarked that she had been struck with the useful and busy lives led by the Canadian women, who often did all the work of the house as well as if they kept two or three servants, yet found time for philanthropic work, self culture and amusement.

Customs Show Prosperity

Ottawa.—The customs revenue for the month of September totalled \$5,437,488 an increase of \$1,409,531 over same month last year. Revenue for the present fiscal year totalled \$22,862,519 an increase of \$5,918,350 over same period of 1908.

On Eve of Greater Development

Vancouver.—"The country is on the eve of a greater era of development and prosperity," is the way that Robert Campbell, general manager of the Northern Crown Bank, put it. He has just finished touring the prairie provinces.

C.P.R. PRESIDENT TALKS

SIR THOS. SHAUGHNESSY GIVES INTERVIEW IN CHICAGO

He Tells the American People Something About the Resources of the Dominion—Expects Canada to be the Granary of the World—Not Sufficient Annexation Sentiment in Canada to Wad a Brass Cannon.

Chicago.—Sir Thos. Shaughnessy, president of the C. P. R., newsy, and one of the most astounding units in the railway development of the continent, since Sir Thomas was once a section boss on a western connection of the road which now calls him president, arrived in Chicago recently. With the party were B. B. Osler, M. P.; W. D. Matthews, of Toronto; R. B. Angus, private secretary to Sir Thomas, and E. E. Pennington, general manager of the Minneapolis, St. Paul and Sault Ste. Marie railway. The directors of the road have been making their annual inspection.

Sir Thomas, in an interview, said: "Imperial defence is one of the elements we have to reckon with. Canada, so far, has been living as a man without responsibilities. Canada is awakening to a complete sense of her responsibilities. I do not know whether we shall build a navy or just a coast defence. It all depends upon the necessities of the empire. If the empire requires much of us, much will be forthcoming. If we are merely to develop our own ideas of naval necessity, there is no doubt but that the development will be upon more or less local lines. The ultimate result is the same. We are too pessimistic as a race. You are not so ready to look for trouble on this side as they are on the other."

"What about the north pole?" was asked, "Do you claim it?" "We most certainly do," said the president of the C. P. R., "we expect to grow wheat on Mr. Peary's trail, and tomatoes where Dr. Cook constructed his last igloo. Oh, we are used to cold up in our country. We know that wheat of the very finest sort is now being grown 300 miles north of the farthest point considered practicable 20 years ago. We knew that Canadian geography on the spot has turned the world's geographical theories upside down. We know that 150,000,000 bushels of wheat is no country's bagatelle. But the important thing is that Canada is only one-fifth developed. I do not believe there is a more thoroughly capable population in the world. I expect that Canada will be ultimately the world's granary."

"Oh, as to her ultimate independence, Canada is a great nation; also a great empire. I consider that Canada is perfectly satisfied with the existing state of affairs. I do not believe there is enough annexation sentiment in Canada to wad a brass cannon. Nothing is so important to us as the enactment of laws that will make for fair trade between the countries. I say that unfairness on either side is bound to react. We must have the square deal that Mr. Roosevelt has so strenuously insisted on. Given that, we have no complaints. We are a sporting nation."

Studying Old Age Cure

Paris.—Dr. F. Mortimer Lawrence, of Philadelphia, is making a special study at the Pasteur Institute of Prof. Metchnikoff's theories and experiments as to the cause and prevention of old age. Dr. Lawrence intends to introduce such of Prof. Metchnikoff's methods as he can approve into America. In an interview he said: "The public, and even members of the medical profession, know very little of the nature of the investigations carried on in Paris in relation to the cause of old age and its possible prevention. Though at first thought it seems like the search for the philosopher's stone, it has been recognized by physicians for some years that old age is a distinct disease with a definite pathology. The greatest impetus to this study has been the assertion of prof. Metchnikoff, director of the Pasteur Institute, that hardening of the arteries and other well known evidences of age are the result of absorption from the large intestine of poisons generated there through the action of certain putrefactive bacteria. This theory has met with wide acceptance by scientists, but chemical measures have proved absolutely incapable of freeing the intestines of these malignant microbes."

"On the other hand, I understand that the series of experiments by Prof. Metchnikoff have demonstrated more remarkable qualities in certain forms of fermented milk used in the Orient than it was before suspected that the ferment contained. It appears to be totally distinct from lactic acid. Tests of the new agent have been carried on all over Europe, and it has already been established that it will abolish intestinal disorders due to putrefactive bacteria."

S. S. Workers at Calgary

Calgary, Alta.—Sunday school week here proved a great success. Nearly 200 teachers from the various schools attended a banquet, which was very interesting and instructive. A resolution was passed asking the association to prepare plans for teacher training work. It was the largest gathering of workers ever held in Alberta.

Edmonton to the Lakes by Next June

Montreal.—At the sixth annual meeting of the Grand Trunk Pacific company, the officers were re-elected. It was announced that the line would be in full operation from Edmonton to the lakes by June 1.

Milnerton Tit Bits

A Dodd passed thru here on Thursday on his way to Innisfail.

Nillie Thurston visited the Calder School on Wednesday.

Conundrum—Who is the priestly looking individual seen at Milnerton lately?

Messrs G Thurston and Snell were at Knee Hill on Wednesday, on business.

Rev. R. Rice left for Innisfail on Wednesday, where he intends remaining for a few days.

T W Sarchet seems to be getting along fine with the hay bailing. He has about 600 ton to bale.

John Roberts, of Perbeck, was a Milnerton visitor recently, on a visit to his brother Lloyd Roberts.

J Layden's new engine works fine and the whistle proves a splendid time piece for meal time.

Wm. Forester has been laid up with pleurisy for the last week or so. We hope he will be about again soon.

B Hoover has rented Mr Millward's farm. We understand that Mr Millward has left the district for good.

Tom Lauder and friends, of Innisfail, passed thru Milnerton on Saturday, on their way to the Lauder Ranch.

Wm Calvert, of Perbeck, spent a day or so here at his parents place last week. Batching seems to agree very well with him.

J Sargeant does not feel up to the mark these last few weeks. We sincerely hope that he will regain his usual health soon.

The state of the atmosphere in the district recently has looked as if we were for a prairie fire, it also reminded some old country people of "Smoky Manchester."

The editor and friend stayed over Friday night at Mr Sergeants and early on Saturday morning they proceeded on their way to Trochu.

We extend congratulations to Mr and Mrs Roy Mandorf on their marriage which occurred at the Presbyterian manse at Innisfail on Saturday, September 18th, 1909.

The Curry Section has changed owners recently. It is understood that the new owner intends to cultivate the whole section. Are we to see a steam plow at work at Milnerton?

A fearful din coming from the direction of Mr Archer's house on one or two mornings recently made people think that either J Layden's new engine or the Innisfail fire brigade were taking a morning's run.

A public meeting in connection with the Milnerton Exhibition was held at the Calder School House on Saturday, Sept. 25th. Considerable business was done in spite of the poor attendance.

Rev Earnest Vincent, Baptist minister preached his farewell sermon at Hill End School House on Sunday, Sept. 26th, 1909. The services at Hill End are exceptionally well attended and the singing was good.

We hear of a lot of advertised "Certain Cures for Indigestion." Can anything beat the following: Llanfairpwllgwyngyllgogoch yr yndrobwllllandiseligogoch. To be repeated three times before breakfast each morning.

Miss Nolan, late teacher at Milnerton, died on the evening of Friday, Sept. 24th, and was buried on Sunday, Sept. 26th, at Knee Hill Cemetery. The funeral was very largely attended. The Rev J L Malcolm officiated. We offer our deepest sympathy with the bereaved relatives.

The following is the report of Calder S D No 766, for the month of September:

No of Pupils on books	30
No teaching days school open	20
Aggregate days attendance for the month	269

Average attendance 13 45
Percentage of attendance 70.78

Standard V— Pearl Sarchet 13 days, Zella Sarchet 13, William Thurston 4, Matilda Layden 8.

Standard IV— Hugh Sarchet 11 days, James Thurston 13.

Standard III— Harold Thurston 17, Joseph Layden 11.

Standard II— Hat Sarchet 20, Hazel Thurston 20, George Kirkham 17.

Standard I Part II— James Layden 17, Lorne Potter 18, Lizzie Potter 17.

Standard I Part I— Dily Calvert 20 days, Bernard Fosester 15, Evelyn Forester 3, Clarence N Layden 17, Fred Sarchet 14.

David M Davies, Teacher

Collingwood District

Mr and Mrs Poole paid a visit to Mr and Mrs Woodrow last Sunday.

Miss Mabel Thomas visited Mrs James Scott on Sunday.

A Bowman, of Mayton, made a business trip through our district on Monday.

Born—To Mr and Mrs Roy Benedict, of Wimborne, on Sept. 22nd, 1909, a daughter.

James Lee, of Curlew, visited his daughter, Miss Florence Lee, on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs H Willey, made a visit to Mrs Willey's sister, Mrs Simpson on Sunday.

Mrs Chas. Nichol, of Collingwood, is visiting her mother Mrs J Dudley, of Three Hills.

Geo Brinson, proprietor of the Curlew Store made a business trip to Calgary, last week.

Miss Effic and Beatrice Thomas visited Mrs R M Holdsworth on Sunday.

Mrs W H Poole gave a birthday party in honor of her daughter Mary on Sept. 15th, and a very enjoyable time is reported.

Wimborne News

J Berry has finished threshing.

The Milnerton school has reopened with Miss Rankin as teacher.

Mrs S Jardine returned Monday from visiting friends at Trochu.

J L Malcolm, Presbyterian student at Milnerton, returns next week to College. We all regret his departure but hope to see him back again next summer.

The meeting of the Presbytery at Red Deer, was well attended and many important discussions took place. It was decided that S Jardine should take the Milnerton and Horse Shoe Lake fields for the coming winter. This leaves his former fields Trochu and Curlew vacant. It was also arranged that special evangelistic services should be held the first two weeks in November at Milnerton and Trochu. The Presbytery meets again in February at Innisfail.

(too late for last week)

Mrs J Wilson and Miss McNicol visited Innisfail Saturday.

S and Mrs Jardine were among the visitors to Innisfail Thursday.

A and Mrs Harrison were visitors at the Hogadone School Friday.

Born—To Mr and Mrs Bert York, a son. Congratulations.

J L Malcolm left Thursday to attend the Presbyterian College at Saskatoon.

J Pendergast recently had a valuable horse seriously injured by barbed-wire.

Miss Helen White and Miss Muriel Jardine were in Trochu Thursday.

B. McBeth, of New York, was visiting his sister Mrs R. Lawson, this week.

Andrew Adams, of Saskatchewan, is visiting old friends in Wimborne this week.

Born—To Mr and Mrs A Holdsworth, of Wimborne, a son. Congratulations.

The sad death occurred Friday evening the 24th, inst. of Miss C Nolan, former teacher at Milnerton. Miss Nolan came from Quebec, but during the last two years has lived in Alberta. She was a most earnest worker in the Sunday School as well as the day school. The funeral took place Sunday and was very largely attended.

Knee Hill Items

Wilton Bros were in Innisfail on Tuesday for a big load of supplies.

Gordan Oyler who has been laid up for sometime is able to be around again.

Editor of the News spent Tuesday night at the store. He was on his way to see the big Milnerton fair.

See the Knee Hill Store's big ad in this issue of the paper. Watch for special prices next week.

Threshing in this district is well under way and next week we hope to report some of the yields.

Howard Wynn has sold his fine saddle horse to a Calgary man at a good figure.

Mr Lockwood from the East who owns considerable land and live stock in this district is around again.

Wilton Bros closed their store on Fair day and opened up a stand on the Fair grounds which was well patronized.

Rev. Phillips of Innisfail preached a very instructive and enjoyable sermon in the schoolhouse last Sunday which was enjoyed by all present.

The grading on the big slough three miles west of the store is all complete and will be ready for the wet season next spring. It is a job that is a credit to the builders.

The concert held Monday evening was a success in every way. One of the pleasant features of the evening was the duet sung by the Misses Gunson and Wilcox of Innisfail. More particulars about harvest festival next week.

Letts School District

Mr and Mrs Morris, of Huxley, spent Sunday with Mrs H Letts.

Mr A Kellard has been busy all along putting up hay for P Burns.

Mr Porter, the cattle buyer has been touring the district again.

Mrs Chas Arving who has been away for the Summer months has returned.

A number of people from the surrounding districts attended the dance at A Kellers' last Friday night.

Mrs Porath is again on the sick list. She has lately been an inmate of the Trochu Hospital, and is now at her sons house.

The Ladies of Letts School District announce a social and dance to be held in the school house on Oct. 22nd. Every body welcome.

Mr and Mrs Wise, Mrs Wilton and others of this district attended the dance at Mr McRay's, in Perbeck, and report a most enjoyable time.

Messrs Letts, Miller, Painter, Buzzel, and Anderson have gone out to the Medicine River to gather up the lumber which they left stranded there last spring. We hope them better success this trip.

Messrs Stewart and Harrington well drillers, have just finished at W Pemberton's. This is their fourth well in the district, and so far they have had good success. At the school they drilled 94 feet and had 18 feet of water.

Mr Parrot will hold service in the school every two weeks beginning with Sunday Oct. 3rd at 11 A. M. Sunday School every Sunday at 2 P. M. September 25th. the German people held service in the school, with very good attendance. They announce it again in seven weeks.

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S. A. WOODWARD

Farmers' Home.

Among the Exchanges

There is considerable excitement in the turkey coops since Monday, Oct. 25, has been fixed for Thanksgiving Day.—Fort Sask. Reporter. Yes, the Fort people had better keep their coops locked, for its no secret that the editor of the Reporter is after game wherever he can get it.

An Oklahoma girl advertised for a husband, and, of course got him. The total expenses for advertising, wedding, etc., were \$11.25. The husband died within a year, leaving \$10,000 in insurance. And yet there are some benighted souls who cannot see that it pays to advertise.—Ft. Sask. Reporter.

The editor was dying says an exchange, but when the doctor bent over, placed his ear on his breast, and said; "Poor man! circulation almost gone!" the dying editor sat up and shouted, "You're a liar; we have the largest circulation in the country."

The editor of the Bowden News reprints our item about the frost in Wisconsin and remarks that he was born there and that the climatic conditions must have changed since he was there, as he found it quite warm. The editor of the Journal is from Wisconsin also, and it is possible that the departure from there of two such warm members as the Bowden and Carstairs editors has allowed things to cool off a little.—Carstairs Journal. Yes sir we think thats about right.

"The Grain Growers' Guide says the weekly papers in the West are playing the game for the elevator combine by boosting the productivity of their districts. The Review doesn't see the point and purposes letting the world know that this is Canada's greatest grain belt and we will also continue to instance individual cases of big yields. If the elevators benefit, so much the better for the elevators. The Review will continue to boost.—Clareholm Review."

Stettler has been having a warm time the past week.—Prairie fires of course. Thousands of dollars worth of property was destroyed. Be careful with fire, is the order, Bowden's turn may be next.

Don't forget Bowden's big fall fair next Wednesday. There will be something doing alright.

Yes, the Grain Growers Association ought to get busy in Alberta and not go to the expense of building elevators in sections where there is scarcely any grain. Come West gentlemen, come west.

A pie social and dance will be given at the Letts' School, Oct. 22. All "pie faces" especially invited, and all others as well.

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Wanted—Heavy horses, and cows coming fresh this fall. Call or write at once H F Powell mgr. Bowden Real Estate Ex. News Bldg.

Estray—\$20 Reward

A light sorrel 3-yr old, Branded KN on flank. Had halter on when last seen. Also one dark horse with lumps on knees. No noticeable brand, last seen at J Goods, Siebertville. A reward of \$20 will be given for information leading to return of these horses—S J Cossey, Aldrie. 610, p

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H. E. SHENFIELD, Secretary.